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1. **Local Housing Statistics** is prepared by the Department of the Environment and the Welsh Office to provide figures for individual local authority areas in a quarterly publication.

Figures for the first quarter of 1974, for areas outside Greater London, have been allocated to the authorities established on 1 April 1974 in the reorganisation of local government using estimates where the area of a superseded authority was not wholly incorporated into one district.

The tables relating to the provision of new permanent housing, slum clearance and, from the beginning of 1972, renovation grants, appear regularly in each issue. They show annual cumulative figures. Before 1972 annual totals for renovation grants were published in supplementary tables.

Supplementary tables on various other housing matters are included as data become available.

Supplementary tables so far published are listed on Page iv.

2. **Definitions.** Detailed definitions of the terms used are to be found in the Notes and Definitions Supplement to "Housing and Construction Statistics". It may be noted that:

"Dwellings" include all permanent houses and flats.

"Houses" in relation to slum clearance action has the meaning attributed to it for the purposes of Part II and Part III of the Housing Act 1957 (see para. 6).

"Local authorities" include local housing authorities and new town authorities.

"Other public sector" includes Government departments, county councils and housing associations.

"Regions" are the standard regions for statistical purposes, revised following local government reorganisation on 1 April 1974.

"Counties" are the areas specified in the London Government Act 1963 and the Local Government Act 1972; the Isles of Scilly are included with Cornwall for statistical purposes.

3. **Local authority areas.** Local housing authorities may provide housing either within or outside their own areas. The figures shown in Table 5 against the name of the authority include dwellings situated outside its area, for which particulars of completions are given separately in Table 6. Table 7 shows the distribution within and outside Greater London of dwellings completed by the Greater London Council, or by housing associations assisted by the Greater London Council. Authorities shown in Tables 6 and 7 are indicated in Table 5 by the following symbols:

§An authority which completed dwellings in the area of another authority during the period.

||An authority in whose area another authority completed dwellings during the period.

Other public sector and private sector dwellings are shown against the name of the authority in whose area they are situated.

4. **New Towns.** Against the name of each new town in Table 5 are shown the dwellings built for the development corporation or for the Commission for the New Towns. These are all situated within the new town area and are not included in the figures for any other local authority. Private sector building on land made available by the new town is included against the name of the authority or authorities in whose area it is situated, but is also shown separately in italics against the name of the new town and included in the new town total.

5. **Adjustments to earlier returns** may occasionally result in a negative figure for an individual authority, when, for example, dwellings reported as started are subsequently withdrawn or there is a transfer from one sector to another.

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A service of statistical information and advice is provided to the Government by specialist staffs employed in the statistics divisions of individual Departments. Statistics are made generally available through their publications and further information and advice on them can be obtained from the Departments concerned.

6. **Unfit houses.** The figures in Table 5 show a number of houses (whether or not unfit) demolished in or adjoining clearance areas under Part III of the Housing Act 1957, and the number of unfit houses demolished or closed elsewhere under Part II of the Act or certain other powers. When houses previously reported closed are demolished under Part III of the Act, the addition to demolitions in or adjoining clearance areas is balanced by a deduction from the numbers demolished or closed elsewhere. This may result in a negative figure in the final column for an individual authority. Demolitions under Part II of houses previously reported closed are balanced by a similar deduction, the effect of which is to exclude them from Table 5. In Table 3, all demolitions of houses previously reported closed are balanced by a deduction from the numbers "closed". The London Borough distribution of houses demolished by the Greater London Council is shown in Table 8.

7. **Population.** The figures are the latest available estimates of the home population prepared by the Registrar General.

8. **Renovation grants.** Table 9 shows the number of local authority, county council and new town dwellings for which Exchequer assistance was approved by the Secretary of State for the Environment or the Secretary of State for Wales, and the number of other dwellings for which grants were approved by local authorities during the period. The figures do not include special grants. The figures for local authorities include assistance given in a similar way by the Exchequer to some housing associations under the Housing Act 1969 (Section 21); the distribution of these approvals is shown in Table 10 (page 35). Alternatively housing associations can receive a grant from local authorities on the same terms as private owners and figures for these grants are merged.

9. **Development and intermediate areas.** A higher rate of assistance for house improvement work in development and intermediate areas was introduced in 1971 and extended to newly designated intermediate areas in 1972. To qualify for the higher rate, work had

to be carried out before 23 June 1974 with the following exceptions contained in the Housing Act 1974, Section 117: work covered by applications for grant at the higher rate, approved for private owners on or before 30 September 1973 or received from housing associations under the Housing Act 1969, Section 21, by the same date.

The successors of the pre-reorganisation local authorities included in the development and intermediate areas are:—

Northern Region: all.
 Yorkshire and Humberside: all.
 East Midlands: Derbyshire—Amber Valley, Bolsover, High Peak, North East Derbyshire D.C.'s; Lincolnshire—East Lindsey, West Lindsey D.C.'s; Nottinghamshire—Ashfield, Bassetlaw, Broxtowe, Rushcliffe D.C.'s.
 South West: Cornwall—all: Devon—North Devon, Plymouth, South Hams, Tiverton, Torrington, West Devon D.C.'s.
 West Midlands: Salop—North Shropshire, Oswestry D.C.'s.
 North West: all.
 Wales: all.

County councils qualified for the higher rate of assistance if the dwellings concerned were located within an area which was a development or intermediate area at the time of the approval of the grant.

10. **Index of local authority districts, London boroughs and new towns: England and Wales.** (H.M.S.O. 1974. 50p net) lists alphabetically all local authorities and new towns and shows the county and statistical region in which each is situated; sub-divisions of regions are the counties with certain exceptions in Wales, which are described in the foreword to the index. Maps showing district, county and regional boundaries are included.

A comprehensive description of the new system of local government, including the relationship between the old and new authorities, is given in "Local Government in England and Wales: A guide to the new system" (H.M.S.O., 1974. £4.00 net).

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During the 1st quarter 1967	3	8			
During the 1st quarter 1968	7	12			
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Summary of housing progress
England and Wales
1974

Table 1

Number

	Started			Under construction at end of period			Completed		
	England	Wales	England and Wales	England	Wales	England and Wales	England	Wales	England and Wales
Public sector:									
Local housing authorities	95,149	6,215	101,364	145,130	7,825	152,955	86,150	3,046	89,196
New towns	9,366	667	10,033	14,108	637	14,745	10,026	201	10,227
Housing associations	10,986	161	11,147	17,457	224	17,681	9,264	176	9,440
Government departments	1,222	107	1,329	2,639	126	2,765	2,433	251	2,684
Total	116,723	7,150	123,873	179,334	8,812	188,146	107,873	3,674	111,547
Private sector	88,810	5,948	94,758	184,194	13,160	197,354	120,270	8,137	128,407
All dwellings	205,533	13,098	218,631	363,528	21,972	385,500	228,143	11,811	239,954

Dwellings in tenders approved
Local housing authorities and new towns: England and Wales
1974

Table 2

Number

	In tenders approved (net)			In approved tenders but not started at end of period		
	England	Wales	England and Wales	England	Wales	England and Wales
Local housing authorities	102,017	6,706	108,723	52,270	3,811	56,081
New towns	11,246	520	11,766	5,726	16	5,742
Total	113,263	7,226	120,489	57,996	3,827	61,823

Slum clearance: houses demolished or closed
England and Wales
1974

Table 3

	Number									
	Houses demolished in or adjoining clearance areas			Unfit houses not in clearance areas			Total demolished or closed	Parts of buildings closed	Persons moved	Families moved
	Unfit	Others	Total	Demolished	Closed*	Total				
England	32,427	3,234	35,661	2,991	1,432	4,423	40,084	554	93,646	34,450
Wales	892	320	1,212	318	84	402	1,614	15	2,547	942
England and Wales	33,319	3,554	36,873	3,309	1,516	4,825	41,698	569	96,193	35,392

* Net figure—see Note 6.

Summary of improvement grants approved
England and Wales
1974

Table 4

	Number of dwellings								
	For local authorities				For private owners and housing associations				All grants
	Discretionary		Standard	Total	Discretionary		Standard	Total	
	Conversion	Improvement			Conversion	Improvement			
England	8,894	65,938	2,632	77,464	13,111	105,463	19,823	138,397	215,861
Wales	36	3,726	80	3,842	733	9,660	1,559	11,952	15,794
England and Wales	8,930	69,664	2,712	81,306*	13,844	115,123	21,382	150,349†	231,655

* Includes 3973 (2668 conversion and 1305 improvement) discretionary grants for housing associations—see Note 8 and Table 10.
† Includes 1317 (282 conversion, 988 improvement and 47 standard) grants for housing associations under sections 2 and 8 of Housing Act 1969—see Table 11

Housing progress and slum clearance: by regions, counties and local authority areas
1974

Northern Region

Table 5

Region, county or local authority area	Estimated population mid-1974	Dwellings in tenders approved but not started at end of period	Dwellings started				Dwellings under construction at end of period				Dwellings completed				Slum clearance	
			Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Houses demolished in or adjoining clearance areas	Unfit houses demolished or closed elsewhere
NORTHERN REGION	3,127.4	4,099	8,099	1,048	5,404	14,551	10,127	1,125	9,015	20,267	8,440	661	6,859	15,960	1,889	505
Tyne and Wear (metropolitan county)	1,189.5	2,524	3,750	362	1,427	5,539	5,109	453	2,950	8,512	3,871	241	1,824	5,936	855	166
<i>Districts</i>																
Gateshead	222.3	—	555	138	345	1,038	657	138	368	1,163	378	31	484	893	340	17
Newcastle upon Tyne	297.0	944	1,039	147	210	1,396	1,448	274	1,513	3,235	946	133	416	1,495	353	77
North Tyneside	205.9	666	634	1	403	1,038	731	2	299	1,032	766	1	516	1,283	64	7
South Tyneside	171.7	331	272	—	150	422	297	6	224	527	451	—	140	591	63	29
Sunderland	292.6	246	454	76	319	849	371	33	546	950	343	76	268	687	35	36
<i>New Town*</i>																
Washington	—	337	796	—	180	976	1,605	—	208	1,813	987	—	256	1,243	—	—
Cleveland	565.6	178	1,439	161	809	2,409	1,686	128	1,655	3,469	2,060	240	1,071	3,371	653	10
<i>Districts</i>																
Hartlepool	98.5	145	61	—	127	188	129	—	162	291	114	—	157	271	156	5
Langbaugh	150.7	9	542	1	162	705	675	3	258	936	516	7	311	834	80	1
Middlesbrough	153.9	20	331	94	196	621	311	46	380	737	1,030	62	219	1,311	121	2
Stockton-on-Tees	162.5	4	505	66	324	895	571	79	855	1,505	400	171	384	955	296	2
Cumbria	475.7	524	395	166	1,112	1,673	520	175	1,958	2,653	353	107	1,361	1,821	30	33
<i>Districts</i>																
Allerdale	94.5	353	86	—	23	109	144	8	462	614	24	30	54	108	—	5
Barrow-in-Furness	75.6	145	64	—	106	170	64	—	76	140	—	—	139	139	29	2
Carlisle	99.6	12	92	—	84	176	124	—	293	417	42	—	277	319	1	10
Copeland	71.0	—	28	51	256	335	62	91	298	451	16	36	185	237	—	9
Eden	41.8	8	31	4	284	319	43	—	302	345	73	6	149	228	—	1
South Lakeland	93.2	6	94	111	359	564	83	76	527	686	198	35	557	790	—	6
Durham	610.9	727	2,063	77	1,238	3,378	2,429	102	1,316	3,847	1,713	17	1,511	3,241	337	126
<i>Districts</i>																
Chester-le-Street	48.8	55	319	—	94	413	435	—	151	586	132	—	238	370	—	62
Darlington	97.5	3	149	26	219	394	194	26	285	505	68	—	294	362	92	—
Derwentside	92.0	4	241	1	44	286	275	—	85	360	416	1	91	508	121	42
Durham	88.2	8	260	—	157	417	256	—	262	518	131	—	242	373	62	5
Easington	106.5	35	66	—	152	218	60	—	58	118	176	—	183	359	8	4
Sedgefield	90.4	24	456	34	351	841	543	34	334	911	164	—	267	431	54	7
Teesdale	23.9	61	—	—	23	23	—	—	60	60	—	—	9	9	—	—

*See note 4

Housing progress and slum clearance: by regions, counties and local authority areas
1974

Table 5

Region, county or local authority area	Estimated population mid-1974 (000s)	Dwellings in tenders approved but not started at end of period	Dwellings started				Dwellings under construction at end of period				Dwellings completed				Slum clearance		
			Local authorities	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Houses demolished in or adjoining clearance areas	Unfit houses demolished or closed elsewhere
Durham—cont.																	
<i>Districts—cont.</i>																	
Wear Valley	63.6	450	261	16	198	475	243	42	81	366	435	16	187	638	—	6	
<i>New Towns*</i>																	
Aycliffe	—	87	207		62	269	198		79	277	74		57	131	—	—	
Peterlee	—	—	104		79	183	225		40	265	117		80	197	—	—	
Northumberland	285.7	146	452	282	818	1,552	383	267	1,136	1,786	443	56	1,092	1,591	14	170	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Alnwick	28.0	3	51	112	24	187	34	94	110	238	29	19	81	129	—	1	
Berwick-upon-Tweed	25.9	32	95	—	119	214	70	—	38	108	114	—	112	226	6	1	
Blyth Valley	66.4	—	9	82	313	404	—	82	461	543	90	—	434	524	8	4	
Castle Morpeth	48.1	96	142	38	110	290	95	38	243	376	73	—	153	226	—	1	
Tynedale	54.7	7	110	1	100	211	137	2	112	251	77	—	116	193	—	—	
Wansbeck	62.6	8	45	49	152	246	47	51	172	270	60	37	196	293	—	163	
YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE REGION	4,896.8	3,844	7,626	1,037	9,844	18,507	11,780	1,660	16,095	29,535	8,021	747	12,223	20,991	6,524	194	
South Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	1,317.2	1,418	2,725	175	2,008	4,908	4,719	297	3,602	8,618	2,942	94	2,427	5,463	2,234	38	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Barnsley	224.1	242	203	86	590	879	299	112	771	1,182	369	1	671	1,041	58	—	
Doncaster	283.5	536	838	—	377	1,215	723	9	1,063	1,795	286	—	410	696	82	—	
Rotherham	248.1	270	564	—	552	1,116	584	3	557	1,144	438	—	653	1,091	381	—	
Sheffield	561.5	370	1,120	89	489	1,698	3,113	173	1,211	4,497	1,849	93	693	2,635	1,713	38	
West Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	2,082.2	1,156	2,713	656	3,369	6,738	4,626	1,066	6,072	11,764	3,309	525	4,279	8,113	2,921	74	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Bradford	461.0	436	210	162	653	1,025	538	493	1,358	2,389	523	261	936	1,720	716	1	
Calderdale	192.4	73	286	117	465	868	352	96	613	1,061	242	21	586	849	93	32	
Kirklees	375.2	9	654	42	918	1,614	732	48	1,212	1,992	342	1	1,138	1,481	8	17	
Leeds	748.3	346	1,048	321	859	2,228	1,969	340	1,761	4,070	1,722	219	1,030	2,971	2,015	11	
Wakefield	305.3	292	515	14	474	1,003	1,035	89	1,128	2,252	480	23	589	1,092	89	13	

*See note 4

Housing progress and slum clearance: by regions, counties and local authority areas
1974

Table 5

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Humberside	848.8	845	1,626	78	2,201	3,905	1,755	117	3,012	4,884	1,214	10	2,868	4,092	1,287	52	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Beverley	106.7	82	139	—	203	342	145	1	152	298	79	—	373	452	2	4	
Boothferry	55.8	9	75	2	184	261	84	4	336	424	62	—	330	392	4	13	
Cleethorpes	70.2	—	2	—	73	75	2	4	217	223	36	—	86	122	—	—	
Glanford	61.4	—	44	2	252	298	45	2	665	712	64	—	319	383	—	15	
Grimsby	94.7	76	234	—	305	539	221	—	419	640	13	—	313	326	220	3	
Holderness	43.2	—	—	—	232	232	—	—	294	294	—	—	—	288	288	—	
Kingston Upon Hull	278.8	441	934	—	435	1,369	1,035	—	426	1,461	936	10	618	1,564	1,061	1	
North Wolds	69.5	—	25	56	481	562	49	56	395	500	—	—	480	480	—	1	
Scunthorpe	68.5	237	173	18	36	227	174	50	108	332	24	—	61	85	—	—	
North Yorkshire	648.6	425	562	128	2,266	2,956	680	180	3,409	4,269	556	118	2,649	3,323	82	30	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Craven	46.8	3	63	3	—21†	45	63	3	175	241	18	—	91	109	40	3	
Hambleton	72.0	21	39	1	269	309	78	1	470	549	16	62	396	474	—	—	
Harrogate	134.3	20	63	44	586	693	91	49	795	935	315	11	408	734	—	8	
Richmondshire	46.5	—	72	—	108	180	72	1	201	274	—	—	176	176	—	1	
Ryedale	75.8	28	2	1	783	786	2	2	792	796	22	—	654	676	—	—	
Scarborough	98.7	19	124	10	320	454	144	16	469	629	46	8	488	542	1	1	
Selby	70.7	12	199	23	176	398	212	38	443	693	116	37	361	514	—	17	
York	103.8	322	—	46	45	91	18	70	64	152	23	—	75	98	41	—	
EAST MIDLAND REGION	3,719.0	3,904	10,607	1,364	10,473	22,444	12,312	1,381	15,799	29,492	8,021	933	13,351	22,305	4,386	456	
Derbyshire	892.3	734	1,464	26	1,956	3,446	1,857	23	3,241	5,121	1,208	84	2,304	3,596	744	103	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Amber Valley	107.1	39	173	1	137	311	182	1	657	840	83	11	169	263	6	5	
Bolsover	71.0	48	119	—	58	177	138	—	117	255	90	—	202	292	6	2	
Chesterfield	95.0	84	537	—	156	693	653	—	202	855	227	36	181	444	98	9	
Derby	217.8	325	158	—	533	691	350	—	528	878	350	—	566	916	443	3	
Erewash	100.6	130	101	1	283	385	142	—	329	471	233	2	302	537	108	4	
High Peak	80.1	32	217	24	136	377	217	22	340	579	—	5	150	155	52	8	
North East Derbyshire	91.9	61	25	—	253	278	25	—	473	498	16	—	302	318	16	47	
South Derbyshire	62.8	15	19	—	298	317	19	—	356	375	68	22	339	429	11	17	
West Derbyshire	66.0	—	115	—	102	217	131	—	239	370	141	8	93	242	4	8	

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Leicestershire	829.8	626	1,866	497	2,410	4,773	2,328	545	3,655	6,528	1,303	415	3,470	5,188	722	72	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Blaby	77.2	—	130	2	57	189	126	1	83	210	92	2	183	277	13	1	
Charnwood	131.0	74	304	19	747	1,070	326	71	779	1,176	93	167	631	891	44	8	
Harborough	57.6	29	14	14	211	239	10	12	436	458	50	1	421	472	—	5	
Hinckley and Bosworth	79.8	10	177	60	591	828	169	60	689	918	14	1	664	679	16	6	
Leicester	287.3	479	763	382	280	1,425	1,072	397	803	2,272	718	224	684	1,626	619	3	
Melton	40.5	8	154	1	138	293	268	1	205	474	88	1	225	314	27	4	
North West Leicestershire	73.4	—	160	19	288	467	180	—	382	562	42	19	360	421	—	45	
Oadby and Wigston	52.6	—	57	—	12	69	52	1	104	157	31	—	79	110	3	—	
Rutland	30.4	26	107	—	86	193	125	2	174	301	175	—	223	398	—	—	
Lincolnshire	519.5	348	953	269	2,500	3,722	1,061	190	3,141	4,392	671	248	3,150	4,069	149	111	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Boston	49.8	16	102	46	210	358	159	77	438	674	129	11	205	345	—	52	
East Lindsey	99.8	4	196	92	418	706	190	105	685	980	45	11	582	638	—	9	
Lincoln	73.1	—	187	18	315	520	202	2	248	452	116	88	297	501	106	3	
North Kesteven	75.9	49	36	111	468	615	38	—	432	470	30	113	579	722	13	5	
South Holland	58.0	28	121	2	313	436	65	5	444	514	128	—	457	585	—	25	
South Kesteven	89.3	—	160	—	449	609	191	—	509	700	143	25	634	802	—	5	
West Lindsey	73.6	251	151	—	327	478	216	1	385	602	80	—	396	476	30	12	
Northamptonshire	496.4	1,041	2,962	122	1,310	4,394	3,375	213	2,483	6,071	2,352	35	1,759	4,146	265	96	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Corby	54.6	175	182	—	207	389	181	—	286	467	7	—	209	216	—	3	
Daventry	52.0	35	458	—	122	580	478	—	181	659	98	—	299	397	—	5	
East Northamptonshire	59.8	36	77	—	186	263	77	—	273	350	125	—	193	318	—	36	
Kettering	70.1	24	7	55	73	135	24	150	279	453	49	—	183	232	—	1	
Northampton	137.6	324	162	67	416	645	317	63	801	1,181	689	28	531	1,248	254	20	
South Northamptonshire	61.4	28	72	—	203	275	82	—	343	425	41	—	154	195	—	21	
Wellingborough	60.9	6	520	—	103	623	492	—	320	812	84	7	190	281	11	10	
<i>New Towns*</i>																	
Corby	—	156	283	—	62	345	310	—	138	448	291	—	131	422	—	—	
Northampton	—	257	1,201	—	124	1,325	1,414	—	406	1,820	968	—	216	1,184	—	—	

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Nottinghamshire	981.0	1,155	3,362	450	2,297	6,109	3,691	410	3,279	7,380	2,487	151	2,668	5,306	2,506	74	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Ashfield	102.4	168	145	33	354	532	140	34	470	644	198	13	353	564	4	1	
Bassetlaw	100.4	221	247	20	189	456	252	20	312	584	63	1	154	218	20	16	
Broxtowe	102.5	163	43	—	155	198	33	—	396	429	95	1	250	346	47	4	
Gedling	100.2	23	286	—	329	615	246	44	458	748	135	26	487	648	41	27	
Mansfield	97.0	27	282	38	281	601	420	1	286	707	239	38	136	413	13	1	
Newark	102.1	126	33	—	223	256	139	—	579	718	52	—	294	346	3	1	
Nottingham	287.6	424	2,037	358	495	2,890	2,158	311	363	2,832	1,606	71	628	2,305	2,372	16	
Rushcliffe	88.8	3	289	1	271	561	303	—	415	718	99	1	366	466	6	8	
EAST ANGLIA	1,758.3	3,938	6,601	446	6,173	13,220	7,910	769	12,738	21,417	4,551	313	8,215	13,079	286	501	
Cambridgeshire	540.7	1,608	2,837	235	1,642	4,714	3,255	293	4,067	7,615	2,355	83	2,447	4,885	181	126	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Cambridge	104.0	67	631	59	86	776	509	27	185	721	469	65	152	686	9	28	
East Cambridgeshire	51.4	177	285	—	161	446	292	—	542	834	21	—	202	223	—	23	
Fenland	65.6	15	209	31	183	423	218	32	406	656	95	—	275	370	52	4	
Huntingdon	111.3	131	282	—	493	775	370	—	1,139	1,509	335	—	805	1,140	—	21	
Peterborough	111.3	26	230	144	382	756	304	231	861	1,396	370	12	308	690	120	13	
South Cambridgeshire	97.1	24	247	1	337	585	220	3	934	1,157	214	6	705	925	—	37	
<i>New Town*</i>																	
Peterborough	—	1,168	953	—	260	1,213	1,342	—	213	1,555	851	—	188	1,039	—	—	
Norfolk	650.3	1,064	1,827	119	2,806	4,752	2,480	184	5,025	7,689	1,161	51	3,573	4,785	73	221	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Breckland	84.4	455	435	12	743	1,190	486	61	1,240	1,787	156	2	862	1,020	12	25	
Broadland	91.2	26	47	—	383	430	33	—	847	880	29	—	537	566	—	47	
Great Yarmouth	76.2	—	217	—	249	466	280	—	318	598	285	—	341	626	—	13	
North Norfolk	78.5	42	142	—	488	630	206	2	834	1,042	175	—	489	664	—	5	
Norwich	119.8	122	371	105	202	678	874	117	383	1,374	254	—	244	498	61	71	
South Norfolk	85.8	129	349	—	445	794	347	—	792	1,139	91	1	535	627	—	19	
West Norfolk	114.4	290	266	2	296	564	254	4	611	869	171	48	565	784	—	41	

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Suffolk	567.3	1,266	1,937	92	1,725	3,754	2,175	292	3,646	6,113	1,035	179	2,195	3,409	32	154	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Babergh	67.4	—	449	1	333	783	431	2	559	992	154	5	389	548	1	8	
Forest Heath	46.7	80	229	28	260	517	210	3	440	653	93	33	304	430	—	8	
Ipswich	122.5	—	75	17	137	229	45	243	262	550	135	67	148	350	6	23	
Mid Suffolk	62.6	11	316	—	156	472	318	—	571	889	115	3	319	437	13	5	
St. Edmundsbury	78.9	1,033	408	2	288	698	398	2	679	1,079	189	10	330	529	—	64	
<i>Suffolk Coastal</i>	94.5	94	168	9	284	461	331	4	365	700	198	5	390	593	—	2	
Waveney	94.7	48	292	35	267	594	442	38	770	1,250	151	56	315	522	12	44	
SOUTH EAST REGION	16,954.8	29,807	39,770	3,861	26,704	70,335	78,190	8,540	67,618	154,348	38,836	4,202	37,039	80,077	3,602	923	
SOUTH EAST REGION (BEDS.—ESSEX—HERTS.)	2,834.1	3,931	7,310	453	6,593	14,356	7,998	671	14,070	22,739	6,271	223	8,588	15,082	107	159	
Bedfordshire	484.3	1,002	1,527	95	1,462	3,084	1,225	105	2,746	4,076	1,207	26	1,618	2,851	62	32	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Bedford	129.7	306	135	12	93	240	165	26	881	1,072	74	5	126	205	—	11	
Luton	165.9	140	298	14	434	746	427	7	561	995	280	7	469	756	62	2	
Mid Bedfordshire	93.9	226	492	5	412	909	521	6	620	1,147	126	8	327	461	—	19	
South Bedfordshire	94.8	330	602	64	523	1,189	112	66	684	862	727	6	696	1,429	—	—	
Essex	1,408.1	1,853	3,852	179	3,547	7,578	4,682	309	7,828	12,819	3,381	165	5,168	8,714	30	114	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Basildon	137.6	241	196	83	309	588	268	153	567	988	130	—	471	601	—	2	
Braintree	101.0	595	404	4	495	903	342	8	738	1,088	317	1	303	621	—	14	
Brentwood	74.3	4	27	8	97	132	70	8	226	304	60	—	210	270	—	5	
Castle Point	80.5	45	164	1	477	642	121	1	949	1,071	153	—	545	698	—	42	
Chelmsford	128.7	6	159	35	182	376	133	40	505	678	132	18	640	790	26	16	
Colchester 	127.5	52	495	10	426	931	618	3	340	961	310	120	769	1,199	—	11	
Epping Forest 	114.8	2	53	2	185	240	40	1	634	675	95	5	247	347	4	4	
Harlow	79.9	—	39	4	18	61	39	2	22	63	132	5	60	197	—	—	
Maldon	43.3	16	83	—	117	200	105	—	550	655	61	—	168	229	—	2	
Rochford	69.2	137	32	8	253	293	18	48	602	668	62	1	130	193	—	5	
Southend-on-Sea	160.2	10	423	15	334	772	448	26	632	1,106	314	1	398	713	—	2	

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Essex—cont.																	
<i>Districts—cont.</i>																	
Tendring	107.7	20	279	—	427	706	305	—	1,338	1,643	101	3	564	668	—	6	
Thurrock 	126.8	494	308	—	38	346	308	17	457	782	396	1	496	893	—	—	
Uttlesford	56.6	113	168	9	189	366	220	2	268	490	41	10	167	218	—	5	
<i>New Towns*</i>																	
Basildon	—	118	732	—	26	758	1,104	—	43	1,147	632	—	164	796	—	—	
Harlow	—	—	290	—	68	358	543	—	95	638	445	—	28	473	—	—	
Hertfordshire	941.7	1,076	1,931	179	1,584	3,694	2,091	257	3,496	5,844	1,683	32	1,802	3,517	15	13	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Broxbourne 	74.2	20	—	6	92	98	—	24	136	160	96	27	222	345	—	—	
Dacorum	122.6	33	422	—	279	701	424	31	622	1,077	322	—	207	529	15	3	
East Hertfordshire	104.4	115	258	—	338	596	370	4	702	1,076	156	—	162	318	—	3	
Hertsmere	90.0	—	66	11	21	98	6	11	114	131	76	—	138	214	—	—	
North Hertfordshire 	103.7	272	162	96	328	586	159	102	754	1,015	185	—	387	572	—	—	
St. Albans	122.7	—	255	—	221	476	176	—	479	655	255	—	308	563	—	3	
Stevenage	72.9	—	—	32	68	100	—	32	110	142	52	—	98	150	—	2	
Three Rivers 	79.5	—	—	—	39	39	—	13	326	339	2	—	152	154	—	—	
Watford	78.1	327	76	—	30	106	95	2	28	125	42	—	26	68	—	—	
Welwyn Hatfield	93.6	83	286	34	168	488	251	38	225	514	164	5	102	271	—	2	
<i>New Towns*</i>																	
Hatfield	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	
Hemel Hempstead	—	45	29	—	—	29	29	—	5	34	21	—	91	112	—	—	
Stevenage	—	181	377	—	16	393	523	—	28	551	312	—	52	364	—	—	
Welwyn Garden City	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	
SOUTH EAST REGION (GREATER LONDON)	7,167.6	17,925	18,958	1,956	4,852	25,766	51,924	4,874	17,478	74,276	19,728	1,922	6,991	28,641	2,762	165	
GREATER LONDON COUNCIL§.		8,003	4,867	190	—	5,057	15,050	1,018	—	16,068	5,319	268	—	5,587	1,116	—	
City of London	5.3	—	62	—	—	62	484	—	—	484	550	—	—	550	—	—	
LONDON BOROUGH§.	7,162.3	9,922	14,029	1,766	4,852	20,647	36,390	3,856	17,478	57,724	13,859	1,654	6,991	22,504	1,646	165	
Barking 	157.6	49	—	—	—	50	—	—	34	84	312	—	19	331	16	2	
Barnet 	297.2	103	165	140	126	431	229	601	730	1,560	69	189	309	567	—	8	
Bexley	216.9	65	186	—	409	595	221	188	883	1,292	175	91	179	445	27	—	
Brent	268.9	91	922	—	2	924	2,354	3	173	2,530	451	32	94	577	—	2	
Bromley 	301.5	601	—	117	581	698	478	143	1,735	2,356	105	113	773	991	—	10	

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LONDON BOROUGHS—cont.																
Camden	191.6	417	745	117	-344†	518	2,205	208	685	3,098	214	2	-401†	-185†	—	1
Croydon	329.3	342	652	17	404	1,073	811	49	1,461	2,321	535	145	942	1,622	6	1
Ealing	294.2	569	1,223	561	164	1,948	1,715	713	438	2,866	205	236	234	675	7	13
Enfield	263.7	6	153	—	55	208	743	14	1,096	1,853	765	—	98	863	212	9
Greenwich	212.8	451	1,070	68	62	1,200	2,275	213	101	2,589	249	214	254	717	9	—
Hackney	208.0	798	646	109	—	755	1,837	222	203	2,262	444	16	109	569	230	6
Hammersmith	169.9	291	—	—	157	157	621	—	300	921	607	1	30	638	17	—
Haringey	228.8	687	341	72	60	473	1,196	193	163	1,552	634	109	151	894	126	8
Harrow	202.4	—	641	—	200	841	759	54	677	1,490	397	—	95	492	—	20
Havering	243.2	135	393	—	70	463	577	—	729	1,306	102	38	228	368	—	3
Hillingdon	232.5	314	948	110	103	1,161	1,072	110	298	1,480	459	20	260	739	—	8
Hounslow	203.3	615	610	—	245	855	1,618	—	184	1,802	612	—	186	798	13	8
Islington	178.8	618	569	7	60	636	2,981	96	154	3,231	693	—	97	790	127	3
Kensington and Chelsea	167.4	40	207	—	29	236	1,575	84	543	2,202	71	42	128	241	—	—
Kingston upon Thames	136.5	—	159	58	102	319	467	174	588	1,229	147	103	225	475	3	1
Lambeth	295.3	839	78	—	75	153	1,888	1	575	2,464	374	3	53	430	45	4
Lewisham	253.1	34	552	64	142	758	1,333	65	407	1,805	914	1	233	1,148	—	—
Merton	175.0	—	251	20	96	367	550	110	503	1,163	95	—	178	273	70	—
Newham	230.6	347	845	104	91	1,040	1,298	53	157	1,508	1,115	129	313	1,557	57	4
Redbridge	235.2	—	341	16	66	423	507	168	387	1,062	76	—	162	238	16	2
Richmond upon Thames	169.5	68	239	24	117	380	382	24	628	1,034	73	55	466	594	—	4
Southwark	241.7	659	498	1	141	640	3,000	1	369	3,370	1,145	51	136	1,332	434	21
Sutton	167.2	—	180	114	1,170	1,464	131	121	1,731	1,983	90	6	890	986	10	3
Tower Hamlets	150.0	1,312	246	-1†	3	248	788	2	16	806	575	1	111	687	200	20
Waltham Forest	230.7	121	168	26	125	319	391	31	328	750	29	49	76	154	21	2
Wandsworth	291.0	280	787	5	66	858	1,247	165	315	1,727	977	7	128	1,112	—	4
Westminster	218.5	70	214	17	275	506	1,091	50	887	2,028	1,150	1	235	1,386	—	—
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES)																
	3,721.0	2,481	5,175	660	7,715	13,550	7,657	1,433	18,996	28,086	4,548	843	10,127	15,518	252	210
East Sussex																
	658.9	570	1,127	131	1,475	2,733	1,558	242	4,719	6,519	733	209	2,031	2,973	36	67
<i>Districts</i>																
Brighton	158.5	81	153	16	192	361	338	70	675	1,083	200	109	85	394	7	37

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East Sussex—cont.																
<i>Districts—cont.</i>																
Eastbourne	73.3	152	387	105	290	782	381	105	1,110	1,596	172	46	582	800	—	4
Hastings	74.6	245	21	—	355	376	168	53	856	1,077	42	18	248	308	—	—
Hove	89.2	—	128	3	142	273	128	3	418	549	57	1	237	295	—	9
Lewes	75.7	30	88	1	-70†	19	117	1	478	596	74	6	225	305	29	17
Rother	74.6	58	125	6	289	420	107	1	589	697	117	5	374	496	—	—
Wealden	113.0	4	225	—	277	502	319	9	593	921	71	24	280	375	—	—
Kent	1,440.8	1,404	1,947	328	2,882	5,157	2,653	772	6,269	9,694	1,648	341	3,465	5,454	110	79
<i>Districts</i>																
Ashford	80.7	6	123	—	193	316	197	—	301	498	218	1	222	441	26	-1††
Canterbury	115.0	23	213	48	295	556	319	117	616	1,052	284	41	447	772	—	40
Dartford	83.6	32	157	19	57	233	160	39	55	254	40	17	99	156	—	4
Dover	102.1	18	224	-5†	152	371	183	7	311	501	262	17	248	527	—	4
Gillingham	93.0	222	29	88	337	454	29	73	509	611	—	31	297	328	—	6
Gravesham	97.3	56	213	—	113	326	195	2	261	458	127	5	84	216	—	2
Maidstone	124.7	70	107	—	398	505	152	108	797	1,057	215	3	270	488	—	—
Medway	143.8	175	20	3	38	61	339	12	389	740	—	3	79	82	30	2
Sevenoaks	101.1	383	8	—	33	41	84	8	493	585	39	11	61	111	—	—
Shepway	86.5	12	122	48	308	478	116	142	525	783	14	114	358	486	—	1
Swale	105.6	115	296	—	527	823	325	—	561	886	164	3	479	646	49	11
Thanet	117.6	153	53	40	310	403	113	71	720	904	47	18	417	482	5	6
Tonbridge and Malling	94.8	121	172	16	40	228	227	17	293	537	5	—	173	178	—	2
Tunbridge Wells	95.0	18	210	71	81	362	214	176	438	828	233	77	231	541	—	2
Surrey	1,005.9	223	980	38	1,494	2,512	1,609	167	4,165	5,941	1,090	125	2,259	3,474	78	49
<i>Districts</i>																
Elmbridge	112.8	107	234	—	95	329	234	5	469	708	62	7	182	251	—	9
Epsom and Ewell	71.5	—	101	—	72	173	101	19	189	309	—	—	113	113	2	1
Guildford	121.6	—	226	2	176	404	465	20	350	835	116	—	224	340	69	6
Mole Valley	77.5	16	28	3	103	134	34	1	176	211	122	27	166	315	—	1
Reigate and Banstead	115.6	—	47	16	88	151	162	20	323	505	56	16	180	252	—	2
Runnymede	75.3	—	103	6	91	200	230	23	306	559	80	2	149	231	—	16
Spelthorne	95.7	—	115	—	90	205	115	2	150	267	—	—	329	329	—	2
Surrey Heath	69.7	—	—	1	306	307	—	3	859	862	82	42	201	325	—	3
Tandridge	79.8	20	79	4	58	141	121	7	326	454	66	—	81	147	—	5
Waverley	108.7	80	17	5	196	218	67	10	513	590	221	—	328	549	7	—

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Surrey—cont.																
<i>Districts—cont.</i>																
Woking	77.7	—	30	1	219	250	80	57	504	641	285	31	306	622	—	4
West Sussex	615.4	284	1,121	163	1,864	3,148	1,837	252	3,843	5,932	1,077	168	2,372	3,617	28	15
<i>Districts</i>																
Adur	56.7	—	71	—	198	269	148	52	414	614	158	—	267	425	—	1
Arun 	108.1	—	296	25	253	574	527	25	654	1,206	107	—	349	456	28	—
Chichester	93.6	72	162	—	242	404	232	38	502	772	162	77	341	580	—	4
Crawley	71.3	174	172	—	228	400	523	—	226	749	327	27	211	565	—	1
Horsham	90.5	—	139	62	451	652	155	61	629	845	102	63	470	635	—	6
Mid Sussex	105.9	38	197	2	194	393	168	1	732	901	137	1	283	421	—	—
Worthing	89.3	—	8	74	298	380	8	75	686	769	—	—	451	451	—	3
<i>New Town*</i>																
Crawley	—	—	76	—	46	122	76	—	56	132	84	—	99	183	—	—
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTHERN COUNTIES)	3,232.1	5,470	8,327	814	7,545	16,686	10,611	1,562	17,074	29,247	8,289	1,214	11,333	20,836	481	389
Berkshire	653.4	925	1,623	257	953	2,833	1,841	642	3,522	6,005	1,338	228	1,728	3,294	82	29
<i>Districts</i>																
Bracknell	70.9	71	—	—	95	95	35	42	286	363	—	41	127	168	—	3
Newbury	111.4	76	184	—	359	543	291	74	1,292	1,657	411	32	396	839	—	4
Reading	132.6	135	302	205	—55†	452	157	205	175	537	171	—	111	282	66	7
Slough	101.8	24	543	1	30	574	518	5	181	704	42	8	133	183	15	—1††
Windsor and Maidenhead	128.1	—	221	1	245	467	275	247	822	1,344	274	97	440	811	1	14
Wokingham	108.6	—	43	50	279	372	73	69	766	908	104	50	521	675	—	2
<i>New Town*</i>																
Bracknell	—	619	330	—	35	365	492	—	98	590	336	—	148	484	—	—
Buckinghamshire	497.8	2,465	2,558	48	1,736	4,342	3,329	106	2,893	6,328	2,396	304	2,380	5,080	40	113
<i>Districts</i>																
Aylesbury Vale	117.6	316	459	3	235	697	441	18	594	1,053	259	10	327	596	12	37

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Buckinghamshire—cont.																
<i>Districts—cont.</i>																
Beaconsfield	62.7	—	176	19	72	267	205	22	90	317	77	1	93	171	4	7
Chiltern	89.8	—	116	9	319	444	85	1	491	577	130	41	408	579	—	10
Milton Keynes	78.0	157	119	10	744	873	207	12	981	1,200	294	1	939	1,234	—	29
Wycombe	149.7	363	360	7	366	733	399	53	737	1,189	184	251	613	1,048	24	30
<i>New Town*</i>																
Milton Keynes	—	1,629	1,328	—	424	1,752	1,992	—	515	2,507	1,452	—	640	2,092	—	—
Hampshire	1,434.7	1,543	3,194	452	3,340	6,986	4,302	596	7,047	11,945	3,593	543	4,880	9,016	342	202
<i>Districts</i>																
Basingstoke	116.8	428	992	34	220	1,246	1,291	64	588	1,943	531	24	561	1,116	—	1
East Hampshire	83.3	130	128	20	366	514	158	—	614	772	219	38	455	712	—	32
Eastleigh 	80.6	26	89	—	188	277	68	—	325	393	94	—	321	415	—	4
Fareham	85.7	—	215	1	118	334	130	1	597	728	110	—	264	374	—	8
Gosport	83.4	280	—	—	150	150	124	—	462	586	55	81	187	323	—	23
Hart	67.9	—	152	—	398	550	144	—	957	1,101	34	2	413	449	—	7
Havant	114.8	102	131	—	169	300	117	32	444	593	94	6	188	288	—	2
New Forest	137.1	18	69	53	591	713	89	55	1,049	1,193	72	4	551	627	14	21
Portsmouth	200.0	75	695	—	219	914	1,379	—	347	1,726	1,160	58	203	1,421	290	—
Rushmoor	78.6	18	—	45	182	227	61	—	276	337	—	102	271	373	—	1
Southampton	213.0	92	486	147	367	1,000	493	285	573	1,351	751	193	711	1,655	15	90
Test Valley	86.1	275	123	95	215	433	125	94	536	755	356	5	389	750	23	10
Winchester	87.4	99	114	57	157	328	123	65	279	467	117	30	366	513	—	3
Isle of Wight	110.9	69	180	—	373	553	189	—	765	954	183	—	550	733	7	2
<i>Districts</i>																
Medina	65.1	63	77	—	214	291	74	—	377	451	113	—	323	436	—	—
South Wight	45.8	6	103	—	159	262	115	—	388	503	70	—	227	297	7	2
Oxfordshire	535.3	468	772	35	1,142	1,949	950	218	2,847	4,015	779	139	1,795	2,713	10	43
<i>Districts</i>																
Cherwell	103.4	300	35	—	359	394	82	—	795	877	176	17	573	766	10	6
Oxford	115.1	42	231	35	21	287	394	218	343	955	85	60	133	278	—	34
South Oxfordshire	138.9	73	140	—	327	467	122	—	533	655	315	62	374	751	—	1
Vale of White Horse	96.9	—	130	—	190	320	128	—	573	701	82	—	462	544	—	2
West Oxfordshire	81.0	53	236	—	245	481	224	—	603	827	121	—	253	374	—	—

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SOUTH WEST REGION	4,205.7	1,678	7,466	1,056	12,305	20,827	8,814	1,546	25,750	36,110	4,747	1,999	15,602	22,348	72	378
Avon	915.3	9	1,431	167	1,386	2,984	1,685	202	3,447	5,334	777	443	2,380	3,600	5	103
<i>Districts</i>																
Bath	84.7	6	127	—	102	229	180	—	241	421	197	26	284	507	—	2
Bristol	418.6	—	784	25	320	1,129	833	21	712	1,566	158	291	535	984	5	81
Kingswood	78.2	2	139	—	158	297	150	—	229	379	118	16	206	340	—	—
Northavon	112.8	—	92	—	145	237	83	15	722	820	113	7	342	462	—	14
Wansdyke	73.2	1	90	—	127	217	148	—	380	528	125	—	236	361	—	1
Woodspring	147.8	—	199	142	534	875	291	166	1,163	1,620	66	103	777	946	—	5
Cornwall (with the Isles of Scilly)	398.6	222	704	16	1,603	2,323	722	16	3,443	4,181	578	30	2,222	2,830	—	37
<i>Districts</i>																
Caradon	59.1	161	136	—	305	441	162	—	667	829	78	—	564	642	—	1
Carrick	72.0	8	185	—	226	411	190	—	414	604	57	—	297	354	—	—
Kerrier	79.7	24	95	—	372	467	121	—	923	1,044	164	4	441	609	—	—
North Cornwall	59.7	17	207	9	285	501	139	9	556	704	175	10	340	525	—	2
Penwith	52.3	12	12	—	82	94	70	—	453	523	42	6	130	178	—	14
Restormel	73.8	—	63	7	316	386	40	7	413	460	56	10	442	508	—	20
Isles of Scilly	2.0	—	6	—	17	23	—	—	17	17	6	—	8	14	—	—
Devon	928.8	145	1,234	319	2,868	4,421	1,615	358	5,322	7,295	639	703	3,351	4,693	35	57
<i>Districts</i>																
East Devon	100.3	24	354	—	229	583	361	6	593	960	101	178	263	542	—	1
Exeter	93.9	14	144	22	108	274	262	4	333	599	91	22	216	329	—	7
North Devon	73.0	10	200	—	244	444	283	21	471	775	76	—	302	378	—	1
Plymouth	251.2	—	157	216	779	1,152	294	196	1,253	1,743	93	388	718	1,199	6	11
South Hams	64.6	—	46	5	244	295	40	—	431	471	25	5	326	356	7	14
Teignbridge	94.3	8	55	—	206	261	53	—	356	409	30	58	348	436	—	6
Tiverton	55.2	28	117	7	227	351	121	19	392	532	69	—	257	326	—	—
Torbay	109.0	—	57	69	509	635	67	105	1,068	1,240	77	—	524	653	—	—
Torrige	47.3	41	89	—	219	308	119	7	231	357	73	—	257	330	22	11
West Devon	40.0	20	15	—	103	118	15	—	194	209	4	—	140	144	—	6

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Dorset	570.5	351	1,016	199	2,093	3,308	1,292	336	5,902	7,530	815	217	2,392	3,424	—	33
<i>Districts</i>																
Bournemouth	146.4	25	308	20	195	523	309	72	1,726	2,107	190	52	190	432	—	2
Christchurch	34.9	103	19	—	175	194	17	18	590	625	54	—	316	370	—	2
North Dorset	46.8	24	124	—	209	333	136	—	432	568	29	109	211	349	—	8
Poole	112.8	56	141	15	415	571	211	94	1,173	1,478	308	6	484	798	—	5
Purbeck	38.5	23	39	105	178	322	33	105	419	557	18	5	239	262	—	1
West Dorset	77.5	74	112	—	185	297	242	—	610	852	109	—	179	288	—	9
Weymouth and Portland	56.3	46	33	59	100	192	126	46	255	427	46	14	148	208	—	4
Wimborne	57.3	—	240	—	636	876	218	1	697	916	61	31	625	717	—	2
Gloucestershire	485.4	98	1,176	223	1,742	3,141	1,223	243	2,660	4,126	590	143	1,986	2,719	12	77
<i>Districts</i>																
Cheltenham	86.4	1	152	—	239	391	119	40	351	510	69	31	389	489	—	28
Cotswold	66.5	—	98	37	368	503	120	53	615	788	125	21	276	422	—	4
Forest of Dean	69.1	9	116	11	192	319	106	29	410	545	120	—	315	435	1	4
Gloucester	91.0	—	225	65	332	622	259	4	383	646	76	65	302	443	11	9
Stroud	93.4	79	503	66	458	1,027	515	67	631	1,213	120	4	429	553	—	29
Tewkesbury	79.0	9	82	44	153	279	104	50	270	424	80	22	275	377	—	3
Somerset	400.4	441	932	4	1,425	2,361	1,130	53	2,471	3,654	404	88	1,817	2,309	20	24
<i>Districts</i>																
Mendip	82.4	96	221	—	222	443	206	1	414	621	62	—	273	335	20	4
Sedgemoor	84.1	—	129	—	292	421	250	5	447	702	127	—	427	554	—	—
Taunton Deane	82.9	232	330	2	396	728	385	4	527	916	24	27	273	324	—	—
West Somerset	29.3	24	16	—	74	90	27	30	139	196	3	—	110	113	—	—
Yeovil	121.7	89	236	2	441	679	262	13	944	1,219	188	61	734	983	—	20
Wiltshire	506.7	412	973	128	1,188	2,289	1,147	338	2,505	3,990	944	375	1,454	2,773	—	47
<i>Districts</i>																
Kennet	68.9	57	184	2	58	244	180	14	200	394	222	55	161	438	—	9
North Wiltshire	100.8	97	156	11	185	352	198	43	563	804	87	121	202	410	—	19
Salisbury	103.1	112	92	8	184	284	139	13	407	559	215	134	162	511	—	6
Thamesdown	141.1	110	450	86	709	1,245	376	252	890	1,518	166	11	597	774	—	—
West Wiltshire	92.8	36	91	21	52	164	254	16	445	715	254	54	332	640	—	13

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WEST MIDLAND REGION	5,180.6	6,194	9,365	1,357	9,862	20,584	11,852	1,763	17,429	31,044	8,752	1,288	12,607	22,647	3,462	743	
West Midlands (metropolitan county)	2,779.7	3,916	3,635	693	3,541	7,869	5,133	949	7,438	13,520	4,418	817	3,787	9,022	2,633	278	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Birmingham §	1,086.5	2,719	1,647	375	966	2,988	2,892	593	1,363	4,848	2,397	267	1,020	3,684	1,157	13	
Coventry	335.3	324	250	155	266	671	222	116	1,402	1,740	142	312	267	721	60	45	
Dudley	298.7	234	371	108	806	1,285	272	107	1,221	1,600	690	160	966	1,816	252	72	
Sandwell	320.1	150	594	—	508	1,102	562	—	873	1,435	387	—	580	967	549	89	
Solihull	199.8	12	79	46	544	669	79	46	664	789	170	2	270	442	—	—	
Walsall	271.1	370	361	9	345	715	779	48	1,194	2,021	443	40	552	1,035	615	59	
Wolverhampton	268.2	107	333	—	106	439	327	39	721	1,087	189	36	132	357	—	—	
Hereford and Worcester	585.9	972	1,447	266	1,664	3,377	1,950	297	3,258	5,505	1,388	202	2,104	3,694	4	100	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Bromsgrove	78.0	286	179	—	309	488	268	—	347	615	113	—	229	342	—	14	
Hereford	47.2	—	83	132	47	262	93	132	103	328	149	88	175	412	—	12	
Leominster	34.9	15	67	—	139	206	53	1	269	323	16	1	221	238	—	5	
Malvern Hills	80.2	25	66	—	258	324	161	—	716	877	112	—	250	362	—	5	
Redditch	48.0	86	69	116	359	544	69	96	476	641	168	65	521	754	—	—	
South Herefordshire	45.0	146	26	—	53	79	50	1	229	280	16	—	102	118	—	6	
Worcester	74.5	—	78	18	177	273	78	48	365	491	—	48	185	233	4	40	
Wychavon	85.9	52	478	—	253	731	585	4	512	1,101	105	—	297	402	—	10	
Wyre Forest	92.2	27	163	—	69	232	124	15	241	380	143	—	124	267	—	8	
<i>New Town*</i>																	
Redditch	—	335	238	—	271	509	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Salop	354.4	497	1,312	195	745	2,252	1,428	167	1,193	2,788	1,188	55	1,372	2,615	172	57	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Bridgnorth	48.7	13	—	—	141	141	—	—	60	60	9	—	263	272	—	7	
North Shropshire	48.5	—	123	79	135	337	116	86	275	477	25	14	191	230	—	17	
Oswestry	31.4	—	—	—	51	51	—	—	126	126	—	—	129	129	—	5	
Shrewsbury and Atcham	83.9	31	99	102	126	327	84	69	325	478	102	33	292	427	172	9	
South Shropshire	33.3	—	25	—	127	152	26	—	125	151	85	—	114	199	—	3	
The Wrekin	108.6	64	79	14	165	258	186	12	282	480	135	8	383	526	—	16	
<i>New Town*</i>																	
Telford	—	389	986	—	85	1,071	1,016	—	68	1,084	832	—	205	1,037	—	—	

§ See note 3 * See note 4

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			Local authorities	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Local authorities	Other public sector	Private sector	Public and private sectors	Houses demolished in or adjoining clearance areas	Unfit houses demolished or closed elsewhere
Staffordshire	991.1	530	1,946	188	2,673	4,807	2,208	169	3,616	5,993	1,184	101	3,951	5,236	613	236	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Cannock Chase	83.1	36	411	1	160	572	356	3	308	667	282	2	406	690	14	65	
East Staffordshire	96.5	1	62	1	280	343	62	1	402	465	77	1	281	359	16	18	
Lichfield	86.9	—	241	2	190	433	220	2	283	505	65	1	336	402	—	24	
Newcastle-under-Lyme	121.9	46	318	67	139	524	383	62	242	687	201	7	343	551	106	5	
South Staffordshire	88.0	77	100	—	181	281	94	—	349	443	67	—	377	444	4	5	
Stafford	114.3	73	266	26	325	617	259	24	648	931	73	7	652	732	—	5	
Staffordshire Moorlands	93.2	—	40	6	296	342	51	6	357	414	32	1	439	472	—	44	
Stoke-on-Trent	258.3	261	339	85	409	833	637	71	527	1,235	354	14	615	983	451	67	
Tamworth	48.9	36	169	—	693	862	146	—	500	646	33	68	502	603	22	3	
Warwickshire	469.5	279	1,025	15	1,239	2,279	1,133	181	1,924	3,238	574	113	1,393	2,080	40	72	
<i>Districts</i>																	
North Warwickshire	61.1	92	85	—	73	158	101	14	157	272	75	2	105	182	18	1	
Nuneaton	111.9	—	105	—	276	381	144	12	314	470	109	—	398	507	—	26	
Rugby	86.5	31	302	—	131	433	343	108	367	818	68	—	174	242	—	3	
Stratford-on-Avon	98.9	—	265	—	337	602	319	—	476	795	200	72	178	450	1	23	
Warwick	111.1	156	268	15	422	705	226	47	610	883	122	39	538	699	21	19	
NORTH WEST REGION	6,593.2	4,532	14,981	2,039	8,045	25,065	18,253	3,312	19,750	41,315	14,808	1,554	14,374	30,736	15,440	723	
Greater Manchester (metropolitan county)	2,718.1	2,741	6,157	880	3,560	10,597	7,525	1,874	6,717	16,116	6,267	877	5,750	12,894	8,621	260	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Bolton	261.8	307	704	64	584	1,352	721	93	757	1,571	653	48	813	1,514	1,042	30	
Bury	180.3	76	217	—	538	755	493	—	940	1,433	96	—	644	740	61	35	
Manchester	516.1	729	2,373	454	1,161	2,811	2,765	731	333	3,829	2,504	110	456	3,700	4,624	7	
Oldham	224.7	114	615	—	381	996	917	202	416	1,535	776	15	317	1,108	688	23	
Rochdale	210.6	78	110	—	416	526	198	—	674	872	133	57	555	745	—	—	
Salford	273.6	488	835	67	93	995	1,030	199	386	1,615	711	15	161	887	1,050	36	
Stockport	294.4	193	101	163	276	540	128	459	862	1,449	76	389	676	1,141	325	1	
Tameside	222.6	132	504	66	276	846	634	51	338	1,023	464	98	616	1,178	72	21	
Trafford	227.4	202	275	66	75	416	107	139	282	528	391	145	382	918	142	2	
Wigan	306.6	422	423	—	937	1,360	532	—	1,729	2,261	463	—	1,130	1,593	617	105	

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Merseyside (metropolitan county)	1,602.7	336	2,844	644	1,237	4,725	3,467	688	4,278	8,433	3,949	332	2,349	6,630	4,476	184	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Knowsley	191.7	70	70	27	179	276	102	72	477	651	315	33	330	678	41	—	
Liverpool	561.1	118	1,929	408	15	2,352	2,393	402	218	3,013	1,649	150	148	1,947	3,607	91	
Sefton	193.5	38	189	25	391	605	172	36	1,090	1,298	400	—	767	1,167	61	6	
St. Helens	307.2	73	343	87	76	506	470	71	813	1,354	594	49	376	1,019	254	2	
Wirral	349.2	37	313	97	576	986	330	107	1,680	2,117	991	100	728	1,819	513	85	
Cheshire	902.3	452	2,857	60	963	3,880	3,568	191	3,941	7,700	2,895	147	2,697	5,739	1,205	152	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Chester	117.3	76	32	18	198	248	38	19	528	585	90	37	518	645	—	59	
Congleton	76.6	31	117	—	—108†	9	117	—	452	569	52	—	192	244	11	1	
Crewe and Nantwich	98.9	18	411	8	147	566	340	59	356	755	165	—	181	346	234	27	
Ellesmere Port	83.8	6	153	1	127	281	146	1	488	635	7	—	181	188	3	8	
Halton	106.2	19	555	—	—197†	358	752	—	412	1,164	66	29	337	432	164	3	
Macclesfield	146.2	—	295	2	397	694	260	44	643	947	131	—	619	750	16	7	
Vale Royal	109.5	—	44	—	199	243	21	7	421	449	127	49	250	426	—	8	
Warrington	163.8	182	345	31	200	576	395	61	641	1,097	413	32	419	864	777	39	
<i>New Towns*</i>																	
Runcorn	—	60	392	—	151	543	1,056	—	173	1,229	1,573	—	209	1,782	—	—	
Warrington	—	60	513	—	—163†	350	443	—	93	536	271	—	75	346	—	—	
Lancashire	1,370.1	1,003	3,123	455	2,285	5,863	3,693	559	4,814	9,066	1,697	198	3,578	5,473	1,138	127	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Blackburn	142.1	637	1,359	77	295	1,731	1,458	105	430	1,993	515	—	267	782	791	19	
Blackpool	150.1	—	83	—	157	240	55	79	359	493	136	—	154	290	—	—	
Burnley	93.6	—	103	103	109	315	62	103	346	511	195	—	183	378	35	50	
Chorley	82.3	—	99	—	209	308	90	—	394	484	57	—	410	467	5	4	
Fylde	69.4	—	—	19	163	182	—	18	287	305	64	—	206	270	4	2	
Hyndburn	79.9	2	240	—	85	325	240	—	187	427	134	—	149	283	171	29	
Lancaster	125.9	—	42	24	206	272	42	25	364	431	2	—	363	365	—	3	
Pendle	86.2	3	141	43	24	208	124	—	180	304	17	43	66	126	20	4	
Preston	132.0	18	173	—	119	292	202	—	320	522	55	—	187	242	57	1	
Ribble Valley	53.9	—	43	—	76	119	—	—	187	187	75	—	121	196	18	1	
Rosendale	62.3	49	50	158	292	500	71	223	457	751	—	82	439	521	34	2	
South Ribble	90.5	—	79	—	169	248	79	—	382	461	—	—	377	377	—	2	
West Lancashire	103.4	9	45	31	166	242	26	6	432	464	55	25	318	398	3	8	
Wyre	98.5	—	135	—	215	350	31	—	489	520	178	48	338	564	—	2	

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Lancashire – continued																	
<i>Districts</i>																	
<i>New Town*</i>																	
Skelmersdale	—	285	531	—	66	597	1,213	—	100	1,313	214	—	82	296	—	—	
WALES	2,759.3	3,827	6,882	268	5,948	13,098	8,462	350	13,160	21,972	3,247	427	8,137	11,811	1,212	402	
Clwyd	373.3	160	703	4	1,078	1,785	943	35	2,304	3,282	527	34	1,712	2,273	168	47	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Alyn and Deeside	69.7	23	90	2	199	291	87	2	612	701	65	—	387	452	11	6	
Colwyn	46.3	2	252	2	130	384	244	2	247	493	127	34	147	308	—	8	
Delyn	61.1	120	83	—	87	170	298	31	531	860	246	—	297	543	5	19	
Glyndwr	39.0	15	145	—	170	315	154	—	190	344	12	—	220	232	5	4	
Rhuddlan	50.0	—	48	—	134	182	45	—	213	258	3	—	197	200	5	—2††	
Wrexham Maelor	107.2	—	85	—	358	443	115	—	511	626	74	—	464	538	142	12	
Dyfed	320.1	326	1,090	23	1,030	2,143	1,275	21	2,092	3,388	566	4	1,119	1,689	22	85	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Carmarthen	50.1	104	242	15	119	376	276	15	556	847	91	—	105	196	—	4	
Ceredigion	57.2	80	272	1	158	431	259	1	384	644	134	—	88	222	—	2	
Dinefwr	36.2	11	65	—	35	100	128	1	109	238	54	—	56	110	—	4	
Llanelli	76.8	62	264	—	141	405	284	—	207	491	142	—	172	314	—	63	
Preseli	62.2	27	140	6	460	606	215	2	476	693	123	4	450	577	—	7	
South Pembrokeshire	37.6	42	107	1	117	225	113	2	360	475	22	—	248	270	22	5	
Gwent	440.5	1,434	1,324	38	511	1,873	1,662	36	1,411	3,109	439	41	770	1,250	291	13	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Blaenau Gwent	83.9	501	—	3	—	3	192	1	376	569	11	2	5	18	—	—	
Islwyn	66.1	60	185	1	94	280	220	1	173	394	17	—	123	140	—	2	
Monmouth	66.7	84	273	33	190	496	219	33	359	611	60	39	269	368	—	—	
Newport	134.7	277	455	—	129	584	579	—	244	823	229	—	309	538	269	—7††	
Torfaen	89.1	512	10	1	98	109	100	1	259	360	6	—	64	70	7	18	
<i>New Town*</i>																	
Cwmbran	—	—	401	—	35	436	352	—	74	426	116	—	17	133	—	—	

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Gwynedd	223.5	176	341	25	898	1,264	511	25	1,504	2,040	240	30	1,137	1,407	—	19	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Aberconwy	50.1	32	60	—	165	225	62	—	264	326	88	30	163	281	—	—	
Arfon	53.4	6	139	24	131	294	220	24	139	383	71	—	289	360	—	1	
Dwyfor	26.3	—	—	—	130	130	22	—	105	127	8	—	119	127	—	8	
Meirionnydd	30.5	76	6	1	188	195	75	1	425	501	6	—	93	99	—	4	
Ynys Mon	63.2	62	136	—	284	420	132	—	571	703	67	—	473	540	—	6	
Mid Glamorgan	539.2	792	802	3	768	1,573	1,279	26	1,764	3,069	485	262	1,450	2,197	205	152	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Cynon Valley	69.6	55	46	—	31	77	88	—	88	176	16	1	89	106	—	30	
Merthyr Tydfil	61.5	197	187	1	56	244	334	2	113	449	128	1	161	290	84	72	
Ogwr	128.1	87	322	—	122	444	564	—	594	1,158	155	28	268	451	13	4	
Rhondda	87.1	40	34	—	39	73	63	2	60	125	—	—	28	28	26	42	
Rhymney Valley	104.4	314	72	1	327	400	62	2	469	533	72	—	498	570	75	4	
Taff Ely	88.5	99	141	1	193	335	168	20	440	628	114	232	406	752	7	—	
Powys	100.2	200	794	61	274	1,129	789	62	569	1,420	299	2	496	797	—	6	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Brecknock	37.3	111	162	60	130	352	120	58	192	370	68	2	171	241	—	6	
Montgomery	43.9	20	220	1	1	222	200	3	222	425	80	—	148	228	—	—	
Radnor	19.0	53	146	—	143	289	184	1	155	340	66	—	177	243	—	—	
<i>New Town*</i>																	
Newtown	—	16	266	—	22	288	285	—	14	299	85	—	27	112	—	—	
South Glamorgan	391.1	267	1,141	114	798	2,053	1,252	142	1,280	2,674	235	12	713	960	499	25	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Cardiff	284.7	—	860	113	627	1,600	933	142	819	1,894	170	4	529	703	487	22	
Vale of Glamorgan	106.4	267	281	1	171	453	319	—	461	780	65	8	184	257	12	3	
West Glamorgan	371.4	472	687	—	591	1,278	751	3	2,236	2,990	456	42	745	1,243	27	55	
<i>Districts</i>																	
Afan	58.6	—	10	—	74	84	—	2	399	401	100	—	127	227	20	—16††	
Lliw Valley	57.8	116	81	—	46	127	82	1	553	636	74	—	101	175	7	7	
Neath	65.2	56	156	—	194	350	167	—	267	434	89	—	147	236	—	3	
Swansea	189.8	300	440	—	277	717	502	—	1,017	1,519	193	42	370	605	—	61	

*See note 4 ††See note 6

Dwellings completed outside local
authorities' own areas
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Table 6

Authorities providing the dwellings	Number of dwellings	Authorities in whose areas the dwellings are situated
WEST MIDLAND REGION		
Warwickshire Birmingham MCD	64	Warwickshire Solihull MCD

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Distribution of dwellings completed
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Table 7

Authorities in whose areas the dwellings are situated	Number of dwellings
(a) Completed for the Greater London Council	5,319
BEDS.—ESSEX—HERTS.	888
Essex	
Colchester	110
Epping Forest	345
Thurrock	170
Hertfordshire	
Broxbourne	155
North Hertfordshire	52
Three Rivers	56

Greater London Council
Distribution of dwellings completed
1974

Table 7—continued

Authorities in whose areas the dwellings are situated	Number of dwellings
(a) Completed for the Greater London Council—continued	
GREATER LONDON	4,172
London Boroughs	
Barking	31
Barnet	297
Bexley	392
Bromley	31
Camden	16
Enfield	14
Greenwich	591
Hackney	376
Haringey	18
Harrow	38
Havering	115
Hounslow	41
Islington	245
Lambeth	872
Lewisham	21
Merton	10
Redbridge	50
Southwark	54
Sutton	126
Tower Hamlets	704
Wandsworth	130
SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES	149
Kent	
Canterbury	71
Shepway	8
West Sussex	
Arun	70

Greater London Council
Distribution of dwellings completed
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Table 7—continued

Authorities in whose areas the dwellings are situated	Number of dwellings
(a) Completed for the Greater London Council—continued	
SOUTHERN COUNTIES	38
Hampshire	
Eastleigh	38
SOUTH WEST REGION	72
Somerset	
Sedgemoor	72
(b) Completed for housing associations assisted by the Greater London Council	268
GREATER LONDON	268
London Boroughs	
Ealing	6
Greenwich	97
Hackney	13
Hammersmith	8
Lambeth	4
Lewisham	30
Newham	18
Southwark	48
Tower Hamlets	22
Waltham Forest	14
Wandsworth	8

Greater London Council
Distribution of houses demolished ¶
1974

Table 8

Authorities in whose areas the houses were situated	Number of houses
Demolished by the Greater London Council	1,116
GREATER LONDON	1,116
London Boroughs	
Greenwich	30
Hackney	224
Hammersmith	33
Islington	133
Kensington and Chelsea	28
Lambeth	40
Lewisham	32
Southwark	23
Tower Hamlets	573

¶ Houses demolished in or adjoining clearance areas and unfit houses demolished elsewhere. The Greater London Council do not have powers to close houses.

Renovation grants approved: 1974

Table 9

Region, county or local authority area	For local authorities			For private owners and housing associations			All grants	Region, county or local authority area	For local authorities			For private owners and housing associations			All grants
	Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard			Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard	
	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement				Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement		
NORTHERN REGION	1,100	9,442*	4	846	13,008	1,236	25,636	Durham—cont.							
Tyne and Wear (metropolitan county)	1,048	3,458*	—	316	4,976	225	10,023	<i>Districts</i>							
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Chester-le-Street	—	329	—	2	266	19	616
<i>Districts</i>								Darlington	—	60*	—	27	415	114	616
Gateshead	17	485	—	8	1,523	43	2,076	Derwentside	25	324	—	6	529	156	1,040
Newcastle upon Tyne	304	319*	—	54	738	54	1,469	Durham	—	754*	—	8	215	21	998
North Tyneside	708	32*	—	89	1,296	12	2,137	Easington	1	725	—	—	223	145	1,094
South Tyneside	—	982*	—	16	602	21	1,621	Sedgefield	2	101*	2	3	302	14	424
Sunderland	19	1,575	—	149	817	95	2,655	Teesdale	—	1	—	18	173	18	210
<i>New Town</i>								Wear Valley	4	282	—	23	489	15	813
Washington	—	65	—	—	—	—	65	<i>New Towns</i>							
Cleveland	6	1,161	—	159	2,542	205	4,073	Aycliffe	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Peterlee	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Districts</i>								Northumberland	10	975	1	72	1,231	39	2,328
Hartlepool	6	9	—	23	417	34	489	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Langbaugh	—	426	—	65	652	53	1,196	<i>Districts</i>							
Middlesbrough	—	403	—	25	656	73	1,157	Alnwick	—	66	—	5	61	1	133
Stockton-on-Tees	—	323	—	46	817	45	1,231	Berwick-upon-Tweed	—	50	—	12	169	—	231
Cumbria	4	1,267*	1	212	1,647	265	3,396	Blyth Valley	10	629	—	19	245	7	910
County Council	—	3	—	—	—	—	3	Castle Morpeth	—	74	1	2	154	4	235
<i>Districts</i>								Tynedale	—	5	—	25	296	23	349
Allerdale	—	241	—	28	451	47	767	Wansbeck	—	151	—	9	306	4	470
Barrow-in-Furness	—	56	—	7	294	35	392	YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE REGION	129*	11,635*	32	1,497	21,259	3,199	37,751
Carlisle	—	427	—	16	293	37	773	South Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	5	5,237*	4	282	6,230	917	12,675
Copeland	4	480*	—	27	178	74	763	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eden	—	41	—	49	186	31	307	<i>Districts</i>							
South Lakeland	—	19	1	85	245	41	391	Barnsley	—	1,346	3	28	1,871	62	3,310
Durham	32	2,581*	2	87	2,612	502	5,816	Doncaster	5	1,119	—	15	1,650	40	2,829
County Council	—	5	—	—	—	—	5	Rotherham	—	740	1	18	772	104	1,635
								Sheffield	—	2,032*	—	221	1,937	711	4,901

*Including grants for housing associations—see note 8 and Table 10.

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Table 9

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	Discretionary	Standard	Improvement	Discretionary	Standard	Improvement			Discretionary	Standard	Improvement	Discretionary	Standard	Improvement	
West Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	102*	3,919*	28	454	7,971	1,617	14,091	Derbyshire—cont.							
County Council	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	County Council	—	4	—	—	—	4	
<i>Districts</i>								<i>Districts</i>							
Bradford	13*	159*	—	141	3,423	666	4,402	Amber Valley	3	499	—	24	546	101	
Calderdale	66	120	28	104	752	252	1,322	Bolsover	—	89	—	1	444	158	
Kirkstiles	4	490	—	108	599	556	1,757	Chesterfield	—	539	—	16	341	145	
Leeds	13*	877*	—	75	2,080	80	3,125	Derby	—	531*	54	—	292	161	
Wakefield	6	2,272	—	26	1,117	63	3,484	Erewash	4*	123	—	10	69	121	
Humberside	4	1,437	—	445	4,782	282	6,950	High Peak	—	118	1	26	301	62	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	North East Derbyshire	—	30	—	1	155	73	
<i>Districts</i>								South Derbyshire	—	98	—	22	37	116	
Beverley	—	152	—	12	577	22	763	West Derbyshire	—	521	—	18	183	50	
Boothferry	—	145	—	1	207	19	372	Leicestershire	16	670*	—	171	1,476	564	
Cleethorpes	2	167	—	18	423	42	652	County Council	—	3	—	—	—	3	
Glanford	—	24	—	12	249	32	317	<i>Districts</i>							
Grimsby	—	102	—	17	461	50	630	Blaby	—	—	—	3	100	43	
Holderness	2	68	—	21	187	29	307	Charnwood	—	110	—	10	163	93	
Kingston upon Hull	—	7	—	317	2,291	50	2,665	Harborough	—	51	—	12	84	35	
North Wolds	—	369	—	37	211	23	640	Hinckley and Bosworth	—	24	—	6	156	38	
Scunthorpe	—	403	—	10	176	15	604	Leicester	16	348*	—	92	700	204	
North Yorkshire	18	1,042*	—	316	2,276	383	4,035	Melton	—	—	—	4	52	34	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	North West Leicestershire	—	90	—	34	164	91	
<i>Districts</i>								Oadby and Wigston	—	44	—	—	24	18	
Craven	3	28	—	38	149	54	272	Rutland	—	—	—	10	33	8	
Hambleton	—	31*	—	10	247	21	309	Lincolnshire	12	227	—	116	1,063	391	
Harrogate	2	194	—	120	674	40	1,030	County Council	—	5	—	—	—	5	
Richmondshire	—	88	—	24	144	19	275	<i>Districts</i>							
Ryedale	—	80	—	5	151	58	294	Boston	—	29	—	1	35	35	
Scarborough	12	136	—	56	289	22	515	East Lindsey	—	69	—	56	239	29	
Selby	—	50	—	9	195	40	294	Lincoln	12	13	—	4	53	145	
York	1	435*	—	54	427	129	1,046	North Kesteven	—	1	—	3	35	34	
EAST MIDLAND REGION	62*	6,397*	55	540	7,750	2,743	17,547	South Holland	—	45	—	14	72	55	
Derbyshire	7*	2,552*	55	118	2,368	987	6,087	South Kesteven	—	8	—	15	92	52	
								West Lindsey	—	57	—	23	537	41	

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Northamptonshire	16	497	—	56	430	247	1,246	Cambridgeshire—cont.							
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	<i>Districts—cont.</i>							
<i>Districts</i>								South Cambridgeshire	—	43	—	13	57	37	
Corby	—	1	—	—	12	2	15	<i>New Town</i>							
Daventry	—	—	—	6	51	23	80	Peterborough	—	—	—	—	—	—	
East Northamptonshire	—	139	—	13	104	85	341	Norfolk	2	421*	1	129	1,196	547	
Kettering	16	42	—	3	124	73	258	County Council	—	—	1	—	—	1	
Northampton	—	126	—	23	46	5	200	<i>Districts</i>							
South Northamptonshire	—	37	—	8	54	25	124	Breckland	—	46	—	12	65	80	
Wellingborough	—	36	—	3	39	34	112	Broadland	—	22	—	8	117	49	
<i>New Towns</i>								Great Yarmouth	2	82	—	1	60	101	
Corby	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	North Norfolk	—	56	—	37	173	181	
Northampton	—	116	—	—	—	—	116	Norwich	—	10	—	28	306	19	
Nottinghamshire	11*	2,451*	—	79	2,413	554	5,508	South Norfolk	—	18*	—	12	179	46	
County Council	—	15	—	—	—	—	15	West Norfolk	—	187	—	31	296	71	
<i>Districts</i>								Suffolk	—	541	99	125	767	342	
Ashfield	—	635	—	4	216	125	980	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bassetlaw	—	325	—	20	519	69	933	<i>Districts</i>							
Broxtowe	—	349	—	2	257	86	694	Babergh	—	116	—	10	89	38	
Gedling	—	107	—	6	171	40	324	Forest Heath	—	41	—	7	47	6	
Mansfield	—	180	—	4	202	72	458	Ipswich	—	15	99	34	105	107	
Newark	—	24	—	—	127	34	185	Mid Suffolk	—	299	—	20	73	48	
Nottingham	11*	774*	—	32	792	95	1,704	St. Edmundsbury	—	12	—	8	75	35	
Rushcliffe	—	42	—	11	129	33	215	Suffolk coastal	—	29	—	31	139	80	
EAST ANGLIA	2	1,575*	100	334	2,551	1,103	5,665	Waveney	—	29	—	15	239	28	
Cambridgeshire	—	613	—	80	588	214	1,495	SOUTH EAST REGION	6,295*	9,759*	2,056	5,916	17,196	3,781	
County Council	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	SOUTH EAST REGION (BEDS-ESSEX-HERTS)	226*	2,200	25	172	2,370	833	
<i>Districts</i>								Bedfordshire	2	634	20	77	333	208	
Cambridge	—	168	—	8	109	25	310	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	
East Cambridgeshire	—	20	—	4	51	27	102	<i>Districts</i>							
Fenland	—	—	—	13	79	96	188	Bedford	—	216	—	65	85	32	
Huntingdon	—	10	—	33	94	22	159								
Peterborough	—	371	—	9	198	7	585								

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	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement				Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement		
Bedfordshire—cont.								Hertfordshire—cont.							
<i>Districts—cont.</i>								<i>Districts—cont.</i>							
Luton	—	16	—	4	60	100	180	Three Rivers	—	8	—	—	22	3	33
Mid Bedfordshire	—	384	20	4	97	55	560	Watford	—	—	—	4	101	17	122
South Bedfordshire	2	18	—	4	91	21	136	Welwyn Hatfield	196	—	—	1	11	4	212
Essex	19*	1,042	5	62	1,429	493	3,050	<i>New Towns</i>							
County Council	—	4	—	—	—	—	4	Hatfield	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Districts</i>								Hemel Hempstead	5	28	—	—	—	—	33
Basildon	—	5	—	—	—	34	39	Stevenage	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Braintree	1	15	—	4	124	20	164	Welwyn Garden City	—	29	—	—	—	—	29
Brentwood	—	2	—	—	46	20	68	SOUTH EAST REGION							
Castle Point	—	93	—	—	21	22	136	(GREATER LONDON)	5,954*	3,019*	1,495	4,360	6,541	1,587	22,956
Chelmsford	3*	—	—	3	133	23	162	GREATER LONDON							
Colchester	—	259	5	4	67	166	501	COUNCIL	3,109*	1,921*	—	—	—	—	5,030
Epping Forest	12	164	—	8	98	9	291	City of London	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harlow	—	—	—	—	4	2	6	LONDON BOROUGHES							
Maldon	—	34	—	—	107	20	161	Barking	—	80	1,395	2	178	81	1,736
Rochford	—	18	—	2	23	23	66	Barnet	2	91	—	170	182	17	462
Southend-on-Sea	—	114	—	35	93	76	318	Bexley	—	—	—	1	200	46	247
Tendring	—	59	—	4	548	38	649	Brent	216*	4*	—	102	42	32	396
Thurrock	3	219	—	2	84	4	312	Bromley	61*	32	—	199	191	34	517
Uttlesford	—	56	—	—	81	36	173	Camden	159*	28	—	170	23	36	416
<i>New Towns</i>								Croydon	7*	2	—	62	169	69	309
Basildon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Ealing	153	63	—	51	192	30	489
Harlow	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Enfield	35	45	—	45	295	16	436
Hertfordshire	205*	524	—	33	608	132	1,502	Greenwich	5*	12	—	56	235	26	334
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hackney	90	69	—	109	112	334	714
<i>Districts</i>								Hammersmith	194*	2	—	221	191	66	674
Broxbourne	—	—	—	2	25	15	42	Haringey	18*	231*	—	240	199	27	715
Dacorum	—	6	—	—	108	10	124	Harrow	94	32	—	33	49	7	215
East Hertfordshire	—	—	—	13	86	23	122	Havering	—	2	—	4	310	23	339
Hertsmere	—	306	—	5	30	1	342	Hillingdon	661	—	—	2	58	26	747
North Hertfordshire	—	14	—	1	76	30	121	Hounslow	43	1	—	185	314	29	572
St. Albans	4*	132	—	7	142	29	314	Islington	269*	26*	—	107	71	51	524
Stevenage	—	1	—	—	7	—	8	Kensington and Chelsea	135.	2.	—	779	62	6	984

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LONDON BOROUGHES								Kent—cont.							
<i>—cont.</i>								<i>Districts</i>							
Kingston upon Thames	12*	30	—	32	86	7	167	Ashford	—	30	—	18	120	59	227
Lambeth	178*	21	—	335	260	91	885	Canterbury	—	34	—	27	117	32	210
Lewisham	124*	73*	—	147	170	77	591	Dartford	—	—	—	—	59	37	96
Merton	4	34	99	31	166	20	354	Dover	—	565*	—	17	195	38	815
Newham	28*	67	—	38	576	42	751	Gillingham	—	20	—	4	121	30	175
Redbridge	4*	—	—	345	445	64	858	Gravesham	—	—	—	1	—	8	114
Richmond upon Thames	66*	—	—	29	212	28	335	Maidstone	—	—	—	1	—	13	179
Southwark	97	3	1	144	107	33	385	Medway	—	—	—	—	58	29	87
Sutton	—	—	—	46	226	12	284	Sevenoaks	—	—	—	—	69	33	102
Tower Hamlets	16	37	—	31	36	9	129	Shepway	—	—	—	—	53	57	40
Waltham Forest	—	5	—	507	56	568	Swale	—	55	—	4	129	45	233	
Wandsworth	107*	43*	—	28	599	192	969	Thanet	4	116*	—	29	131	47	327
Westminster	67*	63	—	616	78	—	824	Tonbridge and Malling	—	—	—	4	114	14	132
SOUTH EAST REGION								Tunbridge Wells	10*	21	1	124	142	33	331
(SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES)	22*	2,078*	9	1,042	3,552	810	7,513	Surrey	8	571	6	39	793	124	1,541
East Sussex	—	310	2	629	766	108	1,815	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	<i>Districts</i>							
<i>Districts</i>								Brighton	—	181	2	343	304	12	842
Brighton	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Eastbourne	—	—	—	57	55	9	121
Eastbourne	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hastings	—	57	—	105	192	17	371
Hastings	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hove	—	—	—	109	70	21	200
Hove	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Lewes	—	12	—	—	45	1	58
Lewes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Rother	—	—	—	10	22	18	50
Rother	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Wealden	—	60	—	5	78	30	173
Wealden	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Kent	14*	843*	1	301	1,605	485	3,249
Kent	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Woking	—	—	—	4	98	9	111

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Somerset	9	197	5	67	388	144	810	Hereford and Worcester	6	1,047*	—	82	911	136	2,182	
County Council	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	County Council	3	1	—	—	—	—	4	
<i>Districts</i>								<i>Districts</i>								
Mendip	—	46	—	35	133	39	253	Bromsgrove	—	183	—	—	75	16	274	
Sedgemoor	—	3	—	11	128	46	188	Hereford	—	483*	—	3	59	3	548	
Taunton Deane	—	95	1	1	19	8	124	Leominster	—	4	—	19	69	34	126	
West Somerset	—	—	—	5	38	12	55	Malvern Hills	—	52	—	9	205	20	286	
Yeovil	7	53	4	15	70	39	188	Redditch	—	18	—	—	30	10	58	
								South Herefordshire	—	—	—	6	31	9	46	
Wiltshire	115	64*	—	107	874	99	1,259	Worcester	—	—	—	5	176	28	209	
County Council	—	4	—	—	—	—	4	Wychavon	3	188	—	26	145	12	374	
<i>Districts</i>								Wyre Forest	—	108	—	14	121	4	247	
Kennet	10	4	—	29	135	14	192	<i>New Town</i>								
North Wiltshire	—	18*	—	8	133	20	179	Redditch	—	10	—	—	—	—	10	
Salisbury	—	—	—	11	162	26	199	Salop	2	467	1	142	867	168	1,647	
Thamesdown	105	38	—	49	250	11	453	County Council	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	
West Wiltshire	—	—	—	10	194	28	232	<i>Districts</i>								
WEST MIDLAND REGION	172*	7,953*	136	670	9,814	1,145	19,890	Bridgnorth	—	13	—	11	48	22	94	
West Midlands (metropolitan county)	148*	4,380*	135	244	5,583	274	10,764	North Shropshire	—	94	—	52	325	24	495	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Oswestry	—	2	—	12	108	55	177	
<i>Districts</i>								Shrewsbury and Atcham	2	67	—	58	158	20	305	
Birmingham	141*	1,921*	14	187	2,520	31	4,814	South Shropshire	—	40	—	8	107	39	194	
Coventry	—	231*	89	19	1,092	54	1,485	The Wrekin	—	236	—	1	121	8	366	
Dudley	—	464	32	10	422	21	949	<i>New Town</i>								
Sandwell	7	944	—	5	456	120	1,532	Telford	—	15	—	—	—	—	15	
Solihull	—	96	—	—	152	10	258	Staffordshire	2	860	—	124	1,618	520	3,124	
Walsall	—	606	—	17	586	22	1,231	County Council	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	
Wolverhampton	—	118	—	6	355	16	495	<i>Districts</i>								
								Cannock Chase	—	52	—	6	28	24	110	
								East Staffordshire	—	94	—	11	157	146	408	
								Lichfield	2	31	—	—	77	4	114	
								Newcastle-under-Lyme	—	321	—	8	134	113	576	
								South Staffordshire	—	69	—	7	89	12	177	

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Staffordshire—cont.								Merseyside (metropolitan county)—cont.								
<i>Districts—cont.</i>								<i>Districts</i>								
Stafford	—	86	—	9	117	38	250	Knowsley	—	57*	—	8	179	1	245	
Staffordshire Moorlands	—	2	—	17	44	92	155	Liverpool	467*	2,572*	—	690	3,587	2	7,318	
Stoke-on-Trent	—	124	—	64	849	86	1,123	Sefton	—	516	—	149	1,947	19	2,679	
Tamworth	—	80	—	2	123	5	210	St. Helens	—	603	—	8	872	16	1,499	
Warwickshire	14*	1,199*	—	78	835	47	2,173	Wirral	48*	786*	—	207	2,764	26	3,831	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Cheshire	83*	776*	106	46	2,513	501	4,025	
<i>Districts</i>								County Council	—	5	—	—	—	—	5	
North Warwickshire	—	—	—	10	101	5	116	<i>Districts</i>								
Nuneaton	—	327	—	—	210	11	548	Chester	—	59	—	6	236	64	365	
Rugby	—	156	—	—	225	1	382	Congleton	—	207	—	5	94	40	346	
Stratford-on-Avon	—	497	—	12	117	23	649	Crewe and Nantwich	—	54	—	1	558	46	659	
Warwick	14*	219*	—	56	182	7	478	Ellesmere Port	—	72*	—	1	304	8	439	
								Halton	29*	12*	—	2	582	46	671	
NORTH WEST REGION	791*	15,899*	109	1,796	26,814	5,141	50,550	Macclesfield	—	210	2	14	241	145	612	
Greater Manchester (metropolitan county)	88*	8,435*	1	331	8,497	2,810	20,162	Vale Royal	—	20	104	9	275	85	493	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Warrington	—	89	—	8	223	67	387	
<i>Districts</i>								<i>New Towns</i>								
Bolton	—	519	—	3	965	466	1,953	Runcorn	—	30	—	—	—	—	30	
Bury	—	291	—	7	727	131	1,156	Warrington	—	18	—	—	—	—	18	
Manchester	82*	1,865	—	191	958	156	3,252	Lancashire	57*	2,154	2	357	6,455	1,766	10,791	
Oldham	—	315	—	11	795	337	1,458	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Rochdale	—	705	—	7	635	179	1,526	<i>Districts</i>								
Salford	4	386*	—	19	994	110	1,513	Blackburn	—	209	—	61	1,872	269	2,411	
Stockport	—	40*	—	54	956	73	1,123	Blackpool	13	153	—	104	498	43	811	
Tameside	—	282*	1	2	1,265	336	1,886	Burnley	—	30	—	—	632	291	953	
Trafford	2*	670	—	24	360	620	1,676	Chorley	—	45	1	10	318	146	520	
Wigan	—	3,362	—	13	842	402	4,619	Fylde	—	4	—	1	45	23	73	
Merseyside (metropolitan county)	563*	4,534*	—	1,062	9,349	64	15,572	Hyndburn	—	300	—	31	763	125	1,219	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Lancaster	4	50	—	55	377	100	586	
								Pendle	2	416	—	24	369	267	1,078	
								Preston	—	419	—	8	266	227	920	
								Ribble Valley	—	123	—	13	219	61	416	

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	Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard			Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard		
	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement				Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement			
West Sussex	—	354	—	73	338	93	908	Buckinghamshire	—	252	1	23	721	83	1,080	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	County Council	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	
<i>Districts</i>								<i>Districts</i>								
Adur	—	127	—	—	6	13	146	Aylesbury	—	16	1	10	180	36	243	
Arun	—	144	—	12	58	25	239	Beaconsfield	—	14	—	6	56	—	76	
Chichester	—	28	—	18	95	12	153	Chiltern	—	—	—	—	124	3	127	
Crawley	—	53	—	—	3	12	68	Milton Keynes	—	48	—	3	140	20	211	
Horsham	—	—	—	14	61	11	86	Wycombe	—	126	—	4	221	24	375	
Mid Sussex	—	2	—	5	109	13	129	<i>New Town</i>								
Worthing	—	—	—	24	56	7	87	Milton Keynes	—	47	—	—	—	—	47	
<i>New Town</i>								Hampshire	69	1,846*	2	93	2,269	264	4,543	
Crawley	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
								<i>Districts</i>								
								Basingstoke	—	7	—	6	243	22	278	
								East Hampshire	—	12	—	12	93	14	131	
								Eastleigh	—	136	1	2	192	6	337	
								Fareham	—	24	—	—	158	15	197	
								Gosport	—	1,031*	—	—	93	24	1,148	
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTHERN COUNTIES)	93	2,462*	527	342	4,733	551	8,708	Hart	—	22	—	1	55	6	84	
Berkshire	—	36	524	67	871	71	1,569	Havant	—	22	—	4	27	14	67	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	New Forest	—	7	—	5	82	35	129	
<i>Districts</i>								Portsmouth	—	1	129	1	15	368	90	604
Bracknell	—	—	—	—	39	2	41	Rushmoor	—	—	—	5	66	12	83	
Newbury	—	1	—	5	46	33	85	Southampton	—	228	—	29	683	15	955	
Reading	—	28	524	53	459	6	1,070	Test Valley	—	9*	—	10	128	3	150	
Slough	—	3	—	2	29	3	37	Winchester	—	68	219	—	4	81	8	380
Windsor and Maidenhead	—	2	—	3	215	10	230	Isle of Wight	16	19	—	86	198	34	353	
Wokingham	—	—	—	4	83	17	104	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>New Town</i>								<i>Districts</i>								
Bracknell	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	Medina	—	16	4	—	53	157	27	257
								South Wight	—	15	—	33	41	7	96	

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	Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard			Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard		
	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement				Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement			
Oxfordshire	8	309	—	73	674	99	1,163	Devon	14	1,045	129	405	2,314	339	4,246	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Districts</i>								<i>Districts</i>								
Cherwell	—	37	—	3	61	17	118	East Devon	8	45	6	12	82	37	190	
Oxford	—	67	—	37	306	38	448	Exeter	4	147	—	39	292	3	485	
South Oxfordshire	8	165	—	11	124	13	321	North Devon	—	274	—	49	209	34	566	
Vale of White Horse	—	40	—	8	82	13	143	Plymouth	2	344	—	176	619	75	1,216	
West Oxfordshire	—	—	—	14	101	18	133	South Hams	—	50	—	27	354	15	446	
								Teignbridge	—	1	123	22	109	22	277	
SOUTH WEST REGION	341*	3,267*	135	1,511	7,070	1,472	13,796	Tiverton	—	34	—	27	80	37	178	
Avon	155*	1,165*	1	549	1,159	116	3,145	Torbay	—	105	—	—	267	12	384	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Torrington	—	2	—	16	153	61	232	
<i>Districts</i>								West Devon	—	43	—	37	149	43	272	
Bath	98	152	—	134	262	7	653	Dorset	32*	228	—	100	706	188	1,254	
Bristol	42*	883*	1	364	580	10	1,880	County Council	—	10	—	—	—	—	10	
Kingswood	6	36	—	—	28	1	71	<i>Districts</i>								
Northavon	—	58	—	6	95	43	202	Bournemouth	—	51	—	23	210	2	286	
Wansdyke	—	27	—	2	82	18	129	Christchurch	—	1	—	13	19	5	38	
Woodspring	9*	9	—	43	112	37	210	North Dorset	—	63	—	7	70	34	174	
Cornwall (with the Isles of Scilly)	5	390*	—	109	1,061	321	1,886	Poole	5*	37	—	7	134	6	189	
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Purbeck	—	2	—	4	16	18	40	
<i>Districts</i>								West Dorset	—	27	44	—	46	172	66	355
Caradon	2	39	—	3	203	19	266	Weymouth and Portland	—	20	—	—	71	33	124	
Carrick	2	19	—	31	193	29	274	Wimborne	—	—	—	—	14	24	38	
Kerrier	—	61*	—	21	203	119	404	Gloucestershire	11*	178	—	174	568	265	1,196	
North Cornwall	—	—	—	31	136	71	238	County Council	2	11	—	—	—	—	13	
Penwith	—	—	—	6	66	69	141	<i>Districts</i>								
Restormel	1	271	—	17	260	14	563	Cheltenham	9*	13	—	78	61	59	220	
Isles of Scilly	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Cotswold	—	30	—	29	76	28	163	
								Forest of Dean	—	84	—	15	133	56	288	
								Gloucester	—	37	—	18	58	76	189	
								Stroud	—	3	—	25	156	30	214	
								Tewkesbury	—	—	—	9	84	16	109	

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	Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard			Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard	
	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement				Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement		
Lancashire—cont.								Gwent—cont.							
<i>Districts—cont.</i>								<i>Districts—cont.</i>							
Rosendale	24	254	1	7	329	48	663	Islwyn	—	19	—	4	252	9	284
South Ribble	6	74	—	—	263	83	426	Monmouth	—	22	—	6	87	19	134
West Lancashire	8*	62	—	14	292	51	427	Newport	1	108	1	34	422	67	633
Wyre	—	—	—	29	212	32	273	Torfaen	—	1	—	6	189	8	204
<i>New Town</i>								<i>New Town</i>							
Skelmersdale	—	15	—	—	—	—	15	Cwmbran	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
WALES	36*	3,725	80	734	9,660	1,560	15,795	Gwynedd	7	216	—	87	699	179	1,188
Clwyd	—	487	3	100	655	243	1,488	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	<i>Districts</i>							
<i>Districts</i>								Aberconwy	—	8	—	41	124	46	219
Alyn and Deeside	—	331	3	4	183	50	571	Arfon	—	2	—	6	220	34	262
Colwyn	—	4	—	27	66	18	115	Dwyfor	—	118	—	19	92	28	257
Delyn	—	30	—	2	96	38	166	Meirionnydd	7	41	—	5	131	13	197
Glyndwr	—	2	—	28	99	36	165	Ynys Mon	—	47	—	16	132	58	253
Rhuddlan	—	22	—	26	30	12	90	Mid Glamorgan	—	427	—	48	2,453	262	3,190
Wrexham Maelor	—	98	—	13	181	89	381	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dyfed	—	90	62	123	1,351	194	1,820	<i>Districts</i>							
County Council	—	6	—	—	—	6	6	Cynon Valley	—	12	—	15	316	17	360
<i>Districts</i>								Merthyr Tydfil	—	261	—	—	162	41	464
Carmarthen	—	—	—	6	373	14	393	Ogwr	—	8	—	20	426	38	492
Ceredigion	—	9	—	36	208	63	316	Rhondda	—	18	—	—	574	85	677
Dinefwr	—	27	—	19	264	30	340	Rhymney Valley	—	112	—	13	538	43	706
Llanelli	—	45	62	29	282	62	480	Taff Ely	—	16	—	—	437	38	491
Preseli	—	—	—	8	138	12	158	Powys	1	378	2	26	315	187	909
South Pembrokeshire	—	3	—	25	86	13	127	County Council	1	3	1	—	—	—	5
Gwent	1	501	12	55	1,109	138	1,816	<i>Districts</i>							
County Council	—	1	1	—	—	2	2	Brecknock	—	343	1	11	133	42	530
<i>Districts</i>								Montgomery	—	8	—	8	98	108	222
Blaenau Gwent	—	350	10	5	159	35	559	Radnor	—	24	—	7	84	37	152
								<i>New Town</i>							
								Newtown	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Region, county or local authority area	For local authorities			For private owners and housing associations			All grants	Region, county or local authority area	For local authorities			For private owners and housing associations			All grants
	Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard			Discretionary		Standard	Discretionary		Standard	
	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement				Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement		
South Glamorgan	23*	491	—	200	925	242	1,881	West Glamorgan	4	1,135	1	95	2,153	115	3,503
County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	County Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Districts</i>								<i>Districts</i>							
Cardiff	23*	443	—	126	797	190	1,579	Afan	—	1	—	16	262	25	304
Vale of Glamorgan	—	48	—	74	128	52	302	Lliw Valley	—	352	—	—	433	21	806
								Neath	4	774	—	—	525	26	1,329
								Swansea	—	8	1	79	933	43	1,064

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Table 10

Number of dwellings

Region, county or local authority area	Conversion	Improvement	Region, county or local authority area	Conversion	Improvement
NORTHERN REGION	—	657	Leicestershire	—	2
Tyne and Wear (metropolitan county)	—	505	<i>District</i> Leicester	—	2
<i>Districts</i>			Nottinghamshire	9	74
Newcastle upon Tyne	—	16	<i>District</i> Nottingham	9	74
North Tyneside	—	12	EAST ANGLIA	—	18
South Tyneside	—	477	Norfolk	—	18
Cumbria	—	26	<i>District</i> South Norfolk	—	18
<i>District</i> Copeland	—	26	SOUTH EAST REGION	1,822	174
Durham	—	126	SOUTH EAST REGION (BEDS.-ESSEX-HERTS.)	7	—
<i>Districts</i>			Essex	3	—
Darlington	—	2	<i>District</i> Chelmsford	3	—
Durham	—	24	Hertfordshire	4	—
Sedgefield	—	100	<i>District</i> St. Albans	4	—
YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE REGION	23	89	SOUTH EAST REGION (GREATER LONDON)	1,810	163
South Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	—	8	GREATER LONDON COUNCIL	920	129
<i>District</i> Sheffield	—	8	LONDON BOROUGHES		
West Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	23	45	Brent	141	4
<i>Districts</i>			Bromley	61	—
Bradford	12	33	Camden	28	—
Leeds	11	12	Croydon	5	—
North Yorkshire	—	36	Greenwich	5	—
<i>Districts</i>			Hammersmith	106	—
Hambleton	—	3	Haringey	16	2
York	—	33	Islington	199	22
EAST MIDLAND REGION	13	78	Kensington and Chelsea	134	2
Derbyshire	4	2	Kingston upon Thames	10	—
<i>District</i> Derby	—	2			
Erewash	4	—			

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Region, county or local authority area	Conversion	Improvement	Region, county or local authority area	Conversion	Improvement
London Boroughs—cont.			Gloucestershire	4	—
Lambeth	59	—	<i>District</i> Cheltenham	4	—
Lewisham	2	1	Wiltshire	—	6
Newham	4	—	<i>District</i> North Wiltshire	—	6
Redbridge	4	—	WEST MIDLAND REGION	47	107
Richmond upon Thames	35	—	West Midlands (metropolitan county)	33	94
Wandsworth	78	3	<i>Districts</i>		
Westminster	3	—	Birmingham	33	91
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES)	5	4	Coventry	—	3
Kent	5	4	Hereford and Worcester	—	12
<i>Districts</i>			<i>Districts</i>		
Dover	—	3	Hereford	—	12
Thanet	—	1	Warwickshire	14	1
Tunbridge Wells	5	—	<i>District</i> Warwick	14	1
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTHERN COUNTIES)	—	7	NORTH WEST REGION	702	162
Hampshire	—	7	Greater Manchester (metropolitan county)	79	70
<i>Districts</i>			<i>Districts</i>		
Gosport	—	1	Manchester	77	—
Test Valley	—	6	Salford	—	5
SOUTH WEST REGION	40	20	Stockport	—	13
Avon	32	12	Tameside	—	52
<i>Districts</i>			Trafford	2	—
Bristol	23	12	Merseyside (metropolitan county)	544	69
Woodspring	9	—	<i>Districts</i>		
Cornwall	—	2	Liverpool	448	61
<i>District</i> Kerrier	—	2	Sefton	48	—
Dorset	4	—	Wirral	48	8
<i>District</i> Poole	4	—			

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Region, county or local authority area	Number of dwellings		Region, county or local authority area	Number of dwellings	
	Conversion	Improvement		Conversion	Improvement
Cheshire	71	23	WALES	21	—
<i>Districts</i>			South Glamorgan	21	—
Ellesmere Port	48	11	<i>District</i>		
Halton	23	12	Cardiff	21	—
Lancashire	8	—	ENGLAND AND WALES	2,668	1,305
<i>District</i>					
West Lancashire	8	—			

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Distribution of improvement and standard grants approved for housing associations under Sections 2 and 8 of Housing Act 1969
1974

Table 11

Region, county or local authority area	Discretionary		Standard	Region, county or local authority area	Discretionary		Standard
	Conversion	Improvement			Conversion	Improvement	
NORTHERN REGION	37	544	—	West Yorkshire (Metropolitan County)	—	—	21
Tyne & Wear (Metropolitan County)	12	142	—	<i>District</i>			
<i>Districts</i>				Wakefield	—	—	21
South Tyneside	—	41	—	Humberside	—	12	—
Sunderland	12	101	—	<i>Districts</i>			
Cleveland	20	2	—	Beverley	—	11	—
<i>Districts</i>				Glanford	—	1	—
Hartlepool	—	2	—	North Yorkshire	25	45	—
Stockton-on-Tees	20	—	—	<i>Districts</i>			
Cumbria	—	144	—	Harrogate	1	4	—
<i>Districts</i>				Scarborough	4	27	—
Allerdale	—	119	—	York	20	14	—
Barrow-in-Furness	—	12	—	EAST MIDLAND REGION	9	21	—
Copeland	—	13	—	Derbyshire	4	—	—
Durham	5	256	—	<i>District</i>			
<i>Districts</i>				Chesterfield	4	—	—
Chester-le-Street	—	2	—	Leicestershire	5	5	—
Darlington	—	14	—	<i>Districts</i>			
Derwentside	—	1	—	Charnwood	—	4	—
Sedgefield	—	88	—	Leicester	5	—	—
Teesdale	4	—	—	North West Leicestershire	—	1	—
Wear Valley	1	151	—	Northamptonshire	—	16	—
YORKSHIRE & HUMBERSIDE REGION	25	72	29	<i>District</i>			
South Yorkshire (Metropolitan County)	—	15	8	East Northamptonshire	—	16	—
<i>Districts</i>				EAST ANGLIA	16	—	7
Barnsley	—	—	7	Suffolk	16	—	7
Doncaster	—	3	—	<i>Districts</i>			
Rotherham	—	6	1	Ipswich	12	—	—
Sheffield	—	6	—	Mid Suffolk	2	—	—
				St. Edmundsbury	—	—	7
				Suffolk Coastal	2	—	—

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Region, county or local authority area	Discretionary		Standard	Region, county or local authority area	Discretionary		Standard
	Conversion	Improvement			Conversion	Improvement	
SOUTH EAST REGION	153	183	2	Kent	—	20	—
				<i>Districts</i>			
SOUTH EAST REGION (BEDS.-ESSEX-HERTS.)	5	65	—	Gravesham	—	1	—
				Shepway	—	3	—
Essex	—	44	—	Tonbridge & Malling	—	15	—
				Tunbridge Wells	—	1	—
<i>Districts</i>				Surrey	3	18	—
Braintree	—	1	—				
Chelmsford	—	13	—	<i>Districts</i>			
Colchester	—	30	—	Guildford	3	—	—
Hertfordshire	5	21	—	Surrey Heath	—	17	—
				Waverley	—	1	—
<i>Districts</i>				West Sussex	—	6	—
Hertsmere	5	6	—				
North Hertfordshire	—	12	—	<i>District</i>			
Watford	—	3	—	Mid Sussex	—	6	—
SOUTH EAST REGION (GREATER LONDON)	135	43	—				
GREATER LONDON COUNCIL	—	—	—	SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTHERN COUNTIES)	10	31	—
LONDON BOROUGHES				Berkshire	—	1	—
Barking	2	—	—				
Bromley	—	2	—	<i>District</i>			
Camden	45	3	—	Newbury	—	1	—
Ealing	12	—	—	Buckinghamshire	2	1	—
Hackney	3	—	—				
				<i>Districts</i>			
Islington	2	3	—	Beaconsfield	—	1	—
Lambeth	2	—	—	Wycombe	2	—	—
Southwark	65	—	—	Hampshire	—	11	—
Sutton	—	1	—				
Tower Hamlets	4	—	—	<i>Districts</i>			
Westminster	—	1	—	Gosport	—	1	—
				Test Valley	—	9	—
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES)	3	44	2	Winchester	—	1	—
East Sussex	—	—	2	Oxfordshire	8	18	—
<i>District</i>				<i>Districts</i>			
Eastbourne	—	—	2	Oxford	8	2	—
				South Oxfordshire	—	11	—
				West Oxfordshire	—	5	—

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	Conversion	Improvement			Conversion	Improvement	
SOUTH WEST REGION	27	72	5	NORTH WEST REGION	8	61	—
Avon	9	—	—	Greater Manchester (Metropolitan County)	—	14	—
<i>District</i>				<i>Districts</i>			
Bristol	9	—	—	Trafford	—	1	—
				Wigan	—	13	—
Cornwall	—	1	—	Merseyside (Metropolitan County)	8	18	—
<i>District</i>				<i>Districts</i>			
Restormel	—	1	—	Liverpool	—	18	—
				Wirral	8	—	—
Devon	—	63	1	Cheshire	—	29	—
<i>Districts</i>				<i>District</i>			
South Hams	—	62	—	Ellesmere Port	—	29	—
Teignbridge	—	1	—				
Torridge	—	—	1	WALES	7	7	—
Dorset	11	3	4	Clwyd	1	—	—
<i>Districts</i>				<i>District</i>			
Christchurch	11	—	—	Glyndwr	1	—	—
Wimborne	—	3	4				
Gloucestershire	7	1	—	Dyfed	—	4	—
<i>Districts</i>				<i>District</i>			
Cheltenham	—	—	—	Dinefwr	—	4	—
Tewkesbury	—	1	—				
Wiltshire	—	4	—	Mid Glamorgan	—	2	—
<i>Districts</i>				<i>District</i>			
North Wiltshire	—	1	—	Cynon Valley	—	2	—
West Wiltshire	—	3	—				
WEST MIDLAND REGION	—	28	4	Powys	6	—	—
West Midlands (Metropolitan County)	—	28	4	<i>District</i>			
				Brecknock	6	—	—
<i>Districts</i>				South Glamorgan	—	1	—
Sandwell	—	12	4				
Walsall	—	16	—	<i>District</i>			
				Cardiff	—	1	—
				ENGLAND AND WALES	282	988	47

Houses in clearance orders and compulsory purchase orders confirmed: houses purchased by agreement in clearance areas: 1974

Table 12

Number

Region, county or local authority area	Houses included in orders confirmed			Houses purchased by agreement	Region, county or local authority area	Houses included in orders confirmed			Houses purchased by agreement
	Unfit	Others	Total			Unfit	Others	Total	
NORTHERN REGION	3,168	486	3,654	43	YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE REGION	8,877	596	9,473	294
Tyne and Wear (metropolitan county)	1,346	214	1,560	20	Derbyshire—cont.				
Districts					Districts—cont.				
Gateshead	154	51	205	—	Chesterfield	159	7	166	—
Newcastle upon Tyne	386	32	418	15	Derby	773	145	918	—
North Tyneside	418	44	462	5	Erewash	90	8	98	—
South Tyneside	182	62	244	—	North East Derbyshire	10	—	10	—
Sunderland	206	25	231	—	South Derbyshire	15	—	15	—
Cleveland	1,239	205	1,444	14	Leicestershire	792	70	862	16
Districts					Districts				
Hartlepool	268	45	313	—	Charnwood	41	—	41	—
Langbaugh	464	73	537	—	Hinckley and Bosworth	11	—	11	—
Middlesbrough	169	17	186	—	Leicester	713	65	778	—
Stockton-on-Tees	338	70	408	14	Melton	10	5	15	—
Cumbria	156	14	170	—	North West Leicestershire	17	—	17	—
Districts					Rutland	—	—	—	16
Allerdale	17	—	17	—	Lincolnshire	96	13	109	13
Carlisle	96	14	110	—	Districts				
Eden	28	—	28	—	Lincoln	88	13	101	—
South Lakeland	15	—	15	—	North Kesteven	8	—	8	—
Durham	248	44	292	6	South Holland	—	—	—	13
Districts					Northamptonshire	38	8	46	1
Darlington	138	19	157	3	Districts				
Derwentside	—	—	—	3	Kettering	7	6	13	1
Durham	69	24	93	—	Northampton	29	2	31	—
Easington	32	1	33	—	South Northamptonshire	2	—	2	—
Sedgefield	9	—	9	—	Nottinghamshire	2,859	390	3,249	254
Northumberland	179	9	188	3	Districts				
Districts					Ashfield	7	1	8	—
Berwick-upon-Tweed	6	—	6	—	Broxtowe	14	2	16	—
Blyth Valley	48	9	57	3	Gedling	22	1	23	38
Wansbeck	125	—	125	—	Mansfield	13	1	14	—
					Nottingham	2,792	384	3,176	216
					Rushcliffe	11	1	12	—
					Districts				
					Amber Valley	28	—	28	—
					Bolsover	39	—	39	—

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Number

Region, county or local authority area	Houses included in orders confirmed			Houses purchased by agreement	Region, county or local authority area	Houses included in orders confirmed			Houses purchased by agreement
	Unfit	Others	Total			Unfit	Others	Total	
EAST ANGLIA	325	33	358	15	London Boroughs—cont.				
Cambridgeshire	101	9	110	—	Hackney	120	54	174	—
Districts					Hammersmith	8	—	8	—
Fenland	41	7	48	—	Haringey	194	51	245	24
Huntingdon	43	2	45	—	Hounslow	22	—	22	—
Peterborough	17	—	17	—	Islington	163	33	196	—
Norfolk	216	24	240	—	Kingston upon Thames	—	—	—	5
Districts					Lambeth	44	22	66	7
Norwich	184	19	203	—	Lewisham	96	43	139	—
West Norfolk	32	5	37	—	Newham	272	30	302	—
Suffolk	8	—	8	15	Southwark	594	122	716	—
District					Tower Hamlets	18	1	19	—
Ipswich	8	—	8	15	Waltham Forest	50	51	101	—
SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES)	2,308	551	2,859	97	SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTH WEST REGION)	90	8	98	22
SOUTH EAST REGION (BEDS-ESSEX-HERTS.)	80	20	100	5	Avon	—	—	—	83
Bedfordshire	47	20	67	5	District				
Districts					Bristol	—	—	—	83
Bedford	12	12	24	—	Hastings	7	—	7	—
Luton	35	8	43	5	Kent	66	6	72	20
Essex	33	—	33	—	District				
Districts					Cornwall (with the Isles of Scilly)	1	—	1	—
Chelmsford	25	—	25	—	District				
Thurrock	8	—	8	—	Carrick	1	—	1	—
SOUTH EAST REGION (GREATER LONDON)	1,850	437	2,287	42	Devon	13	—	13	2
GREATER LONDON COUNCIL	126	3	129	—	Districts				
LONDON BOROUGHS	1,724	434	2,158	42	Teignbridge	—	—	—	1
Barking	34	7	41	5	Tiverton	13	—	13	—
Barnet	—	—	—	1	Torridge	—	—	—	1
Camden	8	—	8	—	Gloucestershire	38	14	52	—
Enfield	91	14	105	—	District				
Greenwich	10	6	16	—	Gloucester	38	14	52	—
					Somerset	77	40	117	—
					District				
					Mendip	77	40	117	—

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Wiltshire	34	3	37	5	NORTH WEST REGION	11,683	1,238	12,921	102
<i>Districts</i>					Greater Manchester (metropolitan county)	9,167	746	9,913	16
Kennet	10	—	10	5	<i>Districts</i>				
Thamesdown	24	3	27	—	Bolton	1,181	134	1,315	—
					Bury	144	6	150	—
					Manchester	3,846	270	4,116	—
					Oldham	760	63	823	—
					Rochdale	787	68	855	—
WEST MIDLAND REGION	2,239	283	2,522	9	Salford	1,226	29	1,255	—
<i>Districts</i>					Stockport	399	60	459	—
West Midland (metropolitan county)	1,509	165	1,674	4	Tameside	378	17	395	14
<i>Districts</i>					Trafford	58	13	71	—
Birmingham	371	23	394	1	Wigan	388	86	474	2
Coventry	—	—	—	3	Merseyside (metropolitan county)	675	80	755	13
Dudley	127	20	147	—	<i>Districts</i>				
Sandwell	531	65	596	—	Liverpool	250	43	293	3
Walsall	378	19	397	—	Sefton	106	2	108	—
					St. Helens	75	4	79	—
					Wirral	244	31	275	10
Wolverhampton	102	38	140	—	Cheshire	643	80	723	9
Hereford and Worcester	55	1	56	—	<i>Districts</i>				
<i>Districts</i>					Congleton	9	—	9	4
Redditch	38	—	38	—	Crewe and Nantwich	154	21	175	3
Worcester	17	1	18	—	Halton	165	3	168	—
					Macclesfield	72	20	92	2
					Warrington	243	36	279	—
Staffordshire	619	97	716	—	Lancashire	1,198	332	1,530	64
<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>				
Cannock Chase	63	—	63	—	Blackburn	287	156	443	10
East Staffordshire	68	—	68	—	Blackpool	101	9	110	—
Lichfield	10	—	10	—	Burnley	216	74	290	—
Newcastle-under-Lyme	397	67	464	—	Fylde	34	4	38	—
Stafford	2	—	2	—	Hyndburn	59	3	62	49
Stoke-on-Trent	71	30	101	—	Pendle	60	18	78	3
Tamworth	8	—	8	—	Preston	268	60	328	—
					Rossendale	118	8	126	—
Warwickshire	56	20	76	5	ENGLAND AND WALES	34,121	3,947	38,068	1,008
<i>Districts</i>									
North Warwickshire	—	—	—	5					
Nuneaton	6	—	6	—					
Stratford-on-Avon	1	—	1	—					
Warwick	49	20	69	—					

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NORTHERN REGION	40	79	314	433	YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE REGION	7	169	377	553
<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>				
Tyne & Wear (metropolitan county)	6	22	112	140	Derbyshire	18	9	22	49
<i>Districts</i>					South Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	—	9	88	97
Newcastle upon Tyne	—	21	105	126	<i>Districts</i>				
Sunderland	6	1	7	14	Barnsley	—	—	5	5
					Doncaster	—	4	30	34
Cleveland	—	38	72	110	Rotherham	—	5	53	58
<i>Districts</i>					West Yorkshire (metropolitan county)	6	146	171	323
Hartlepool	—	1	4	5	<i>Districts</i>				
Langbaugh	—	8	14	22	Bradford	—	99	70	169
Middlesbrough	—	15	25	40	Calderdale	—	32	29	61
Stockton-on-Tees	—	14	29	43	Kirklees	—	5	18	23
					Leeds	6	9	54	69
Cumbria	—	—	6	6	Wakefield	—	1	—	1
<i>Districts</i>					Humberside	—	2	104	106
South Lakeland	—	—	6	6	<i>Districts</i>				
					Darlington	—	1	17	18
Durham	34	18	119	171	Derwentside	34	16	20	70
<i>Districts</i>					Teesdale	—	—	1	1
Darlington	—	1	17	18	New Towns				
Derwentside	34	16	20	70	Aycliffe	—	—	40	40
Teesdale	—	—	1	1	Peterlee	—	1	41	42
Northumberland	—	1	5	6	North Yorkshire	1	12	14	27
<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>				
Alnwick	—	—	1	1	Craven	—	—	1	1
Berwick-upon-Tweed	—	—	2	2	Hambleton	—	—	2	2
Castle Morpeth	—	—	1	1	Harrogate	—	10	5	15
Tynedale	—	1	1	2	Ryedale	—	—	2	3
					Selby	—	2	4	6
					East Midlands REGION	42	79	208	329
					<i>Districts</i>				
					Derbyshire	18	9	22	49
					<i>Districts</i>				
					Amber Valley	—	4	1	5
					Bolsover	—	—	3	3
					Derby	18	2	14	34
					Erewash	—	1	—	1
					High Peak	—	—	2	2
					Leicestershire	—	1	8	9
					<i>Districts</i>				
					North East Derbyshire	—	1	1	2
					West Derbyshire	—	1	1	2
					Lincolnshire	11	4	1	16
					<i>Districts</i>				
					Boothferry	—	—	9	9
					Cleethorpes	—	—	8	8
					Glanford	—	—	3	3
					Grimsby	—	—	60	60
					Holderness	—	2	10	12
					Northamptonshire	13	50	130	193
					<i>Districts</i>				
					East Northamptonshire	—	1	—	1
					Kettering	—	3	—	3
					Northampton	—	29	25	54
					South Northamptonshire	—	—	3	3
					Wellingborough	—	1	3	4
					New Towns				
					Corby	13	16	65	94
					Northampton	—	—	34	34

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Nottinghamshire	—	15	47	62	Essex	11	8	153	172
<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>				
Ashfield	—	—	8	8	Basildon	—	1	4	5
Broxtowe	—	4	19	23	Braintree	—	2	4	6
Gedling	—	10	11	21	Brentwood	—	—	4	4
Newark	—	—	5	5	Colchester	—	—	9	9
Nottingham	—	—	1	1	Epping Forest	1	—	1	2
Rushcliffe	—	1	3	4	Maldon	—	—	1	1
EAST ANGLIA	15	22	85	122	Southeast-on-Sea	—	—	20	20
Cambridgeshire	2	12	71	85	Thurrock	—	3	1	4
<i>Districts</i>					Uttlesford	—	—	1	1
Cambridge	—	1	—	1	SOUTHEAST REGION (SOUTH EASTERN COUNTIES)	70	44	172	286
Huntingdon	—	2	15	17	East Sussex	5	23	84	112
Peterborough	—	1	15	16	<i>Districts</i>				
South Cambridgeshire	—	—	1	1	Basildon	—	—	81	81
<i>New Town</i>					Harlow	10	2	27	39
Peterborough	2	8	40	50	Hertfordshire	—	12	221	233
Norfolk	1	3	11	15	<i>Districts</i>				
<i>Districts</i>					Dacorum	—	2	7	9
Breckland	1	1	—	2	East Hertfordshire	—	2	3	5
South Norfolk	—	—	2	2	Hertsmer	—	—	4	4
West Norfolk	—	2	9	11	North Hertfordshire	—	1	8	9
Suffolk	12	7	3	22	St. Albans	—	1	17	18
<i>Districts</i>					Watford	—	—	38	38
Babergh	—	1	—	1	Welwyn-Hatfield	—	1	—	1
Mid Suffolk	12	5	—	17	<i>New Towns</i>				
Suffolk Coastal	—	—	3	3	Hatfield	—	1	6	7
Waveney	—	1	—	1	Hemel Hempstead	—	—	28	28
SOUTH EAST REGION	301	274	1,014	1,589	Stevenage	—	—	108	108
SOUTH EAST REGION (BEDS.-ESSEX-HERTS.)	11	20	382	413	Welwyn Garden City	—	4	2	6
Bedfordshire	—	—	8	8	SOUTHEAST REGION (GREATER LONDON)	212	187	302	701
<i>District</i>					GREATER LONDON COUNCIL	—	55	219	274
Bedford	—	—	8	8	LONDON BOROUGHS	212	132	83	427
					Barnet	—	13	23	36
					Bromley	—	2	30	32
					Croydon	21	8	16	45
					Enfield	—	22	—	22
					Hillingdon	26	—	—	26
					West Sussex	65	16	32	113
					<i>Districts</i>				
					Adur	30	—	1	31
					Arun	—	2	1	3
					Chichester	—	3	23	26
					Worthing	—	—	1	1
					<i>New Town</i>				
					Crawley	35	11	6	52

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SOUTH EAST REGION (SOUTHERN COUNTIES)	8	23	158	189	Cornwall	—	—	12	12
<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>				
Berkshire	—	5	54	59	Carrick	—	—	7	7
<i>Districts</i>					North Cornwall	—	—	4	4
Reading	—	5	5	10	Restormel	—	—	1	1
Slough	—	—	2	2	Devon	—	16	78	94
Windsor and Maidenhead	—	—	1	1	<i>Districts</i>				
Wokingham	—	—	16	16	Birmingham	82	—	8	90
<i>New Town</i>					Coventry	—	1	3	4
Bracknell	—	—	30	30	Dudley	—	5	3	8
Buckinghamshire	6	3	72	81	Sandwell	3	144	182	329
<i>Districts</i>					Solihull	—	2	6	8
Aylesbury Vale	—	1	1	2	Walsall	—	50	144	194
Beaconsfield	—	2	55	57	Wolverhampton	—	—	1	1
Milton Keynes	4	—	—	4	Hereford and Worcester	11	16	58	85
Wycombe	2	—	1	3	<i>Districts</i>				
<i>New Town</i>					Hereford	9	3	5	17
Milton Keynes	—	—	15	15	Leominster	—	1	1	2
Hampshire	2	15	30	47	Malvern Hills	—	1	3	4
<i>Districts</i>					Redditch	2	2	—	4
Fareham	—	2	—	2	Worcester	—	5	8	13
Portsmouth	2	11	25	38	Wychavon	—	2	3	5
Southampton	—	2	4	6	Wyre Forest	—	2	9	11
Test Valley	—	—	1	1	<i>New Town</i>				
Oxfordshire	—	—	2	2	Redditch	—	—	29	29
<i>Districts</i>					Salop	2	20	24	46
South Oxfordshire	—	—	1	1	<i>Districts</i>				
Vale of White Horse	—	—	1	1	North Shropshire	—	10	6	16
SOUTH WEST REGION	53	44	124	221	Shrewsbury and Atcham	—	—	1	1
Avon	50	16	9	75	South Shropshire	2	2	11	15
<i>Districts</i>					The Wrekin	—	8	6	14
Bristol	50	12	4	66	Staffordshire	1	3	22	26
Woodspring	—	4	5	9	<i>Districts</i>				
					East Staffordshire	—	—	4	4
					Lichfield	—	2	2	4
					Newcastle-under-Lyme	—	—	2	2
					South Staffordshire	—	—	7	7
					Stafford	1	—	—	1
					Staffordshire Moorlands	—	1	4	5
					Stoke-on-Trent	—	—	3	3

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Warwickshire	—	1	2	3	Lancashire	2	35	54	91	Gwynedd	—	—	10	10
<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>					<i>Districts</i>				
Nuneaton	—	1	—	1	Blackburn	—	2	—	2	Arfon	—	—	4	4
Stratford-on-Avon	—	—	2	2	Blackpool	—	2	4	6	Meirionnydd	—	—	4	4
NORTH WEST REGION	3	218	270	491	Burnley	—	2	1	3	Ynys Mon	—	—	2	2
Greater Manchester (metropolitan county)	—	64	56	120	Chorley	—	1	7	8	Powys	—	1	10	11
<i>Districts</i>					Lancaster	—	6	18	24	<i>Districts</i>				
Bolton	—	4	12	16	Pendle	—	4	16	20	Brecknock	—	—	4	4
Bury	—	2	2	4	Preston	—	—	1	1	Montgomery	—	—	4	4
Oldham	—	29	21	50	Ribble Valley	—	1	—	1	Radnor	—	1	2	3
Rochdale	—	5	13	18	<i>New Town</i>					South Glamorgan	—	66	549	615
Stockport	—	1	—	1	Skelmersdale	2	17	7	26	<i>Districts</i>				
Tameside	—	23	7	30	WALES	6	159	675	840	Cardiff	—	65	544	609
Trafford	—	—	1	1	Clwyd	1	12	12	25	Vale of Glamorgan	—	1	5	6
Merseyside (metropolitan county)	1	90	65	156	<i>Districts</i>					West Glamorgan	—	66	12	78
<i>Districts</i>					Delyn	1	1	4	6	<i>Districts</i>				
Liverpool	—	81	40	121	Glyndwr	—	1	—	1	Afan	—	3	8	11
Sefton	—	9	22	31	Rhuddlan	—	10	8	18	Neath	—	63	4	67
St. Helens	1	—	—	1	Dyfed	5	11	43	59	ENGLAND AND WALES	566	1,286	3,520	5,372
Wirral	—	—	3	3	<i>Districts</i>									
Cheshire	—	29	95	124	Carmarthen	—	3	14	17					
<i>Districts</i>					Ceredigion	—	—	4	4					
Chester	—	5	23	28	Dinefwr	—	1	12	13					
Congleton	—	—	5	5	Llanelli	—	1	—	1					
Crewe and Nantwich	—	3	4	7	Preseli	2	3	2	7					
Ellesmere Port	—	3	15	18	South Pembrokeshire	3	3	11	17					
Halton	—	—	1	1	Gwent	—	3	39	42					
Macclesfield	—	6	23	29	<i>Districts</i>									
Vale Royal	—	2	6	8	Blaenau Gwent	—	3	4	7					
Warrington	—	1	1	2	Monmouth	—	—	1	1					
<i>New Towns</i>					Newport	—	—	24	24					
Runcorn	—	8	17	25	Torfaen	—	—	2	2					
Warrington	—	1	—	1	<i>New Town</i>									
					Cwmbran	—	—	8	8					

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